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ABBOTS AND MONSIGNORI.

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TO THE

VERY REV. THOMAS COOKE MIDDLETON,

O. S. A., D.D.,

THE HUMBLE AND LEARNED HERMIT OF THE ORDER OF ST. AUGUSTINE,
THE ZEALOUS AND CAREFUL HISTORIAN, AND THE FIRST PRESI-
DENT OF THE AMERICAN CATHOLIC HISTORICAL SOCIETY
OF PHILADELPHIA, IS THIS WORK MOST RESPECT-
FULLY DEDICATED, AS A TESTIMONY OF
HIS LEARNING, KINDNESS AND UN-
TIRING ZEAL IN THE WORK
OF THE SOCIETY.

By the Author,

Feast of St. Thomas of Villanova. 1897.

PREFACE.

The compilation seeking public favor in this volume is nothing more—nor less—than an American supplement to the “Art of Verifying Dates.” It is not a history in the ordinary meaning of the word; it is a manual of fundamental data for the guidance of future historians of the Church in the United States, as well as of corrections of errors into which all our historians have so far fallen.

This work, then, is rather a guide for students than a book for the general public, a modest addition to the literature of deep research, if not of erudition. In this respect it represents a most useful and valuable division of labor, and cannot but bring a great saving of time to the painstaking historian such as we still need to record fully and faithfully the origin and growth of the Church in this country. The shortcomings of the works that we have on this subject are in some instances due to the fact that the entire field of original research is too much for any one person to cultivate; for very often a single volume of this character that is by no means large may represent the work of the best part of a lifetime.

On the other hand, too many of our so-called Church histories are merely books “made to sell.” They are full of errors of omission as well as of commission, repeat all the old-time misstatements, and are of no value as reliable works of reference. Many of their assertions are the hearsays and recollections of persons who perhaps “ought to have known,” but did not know. There is very little trace of direct research, and none at all of verification, unless the records were very close to hand. Proofs of this carelessness abound in the present volume.

But to a great extent these errors are to be excused; for, on the part of writers of the general history of the Church,

an enormous amount of labor is required to verify even the leading facts on which suspicion may be entertained by those critically disposed. Any attempt, then, of a single writer to produce a correct history from the sources, scattered and hidden as they have been, must inevitably fail, no matter how gifted and industrious the writer may be. The sources must be made known and brought within easy reach; and it is only by concerted effort on the part of many, each enthusiastic in his own chosen department, that the result can be made beneficial to the general historian.

One of these departments is exhaustively exploited here; and in dealing with it I have had but one object in view, that of presenting a carefully investigated compilation of *Persons*, *Places* and *Dates*, all of which have been so closely verified as to furnish a sure guide to writers. This work has occupied the compiler's seeking and searching during all his leisure hours for eight years. In soliciting and directing searches, over four thousand letters were sent to hundreds of priests, monks, nuns, bishops, cardinals and learned laymen, living in various and widely separated parts of the world, from America to India, from France to Australia; and in nearly every case they received careful attention. No possible source of information has been overlooked; and so careful have I been to note the result in each case that I have even specially marked the places where it will be useless to search hereafter.

I take great pleasure in giving public expression of my gratitude to all who have assisted and encouraged me, but especially to those who urged me to persevere until such data as this work contains should be recovered from oblivion and carefully preserved as an integral and fundamental part of American Catholic Church history.

FRANCIS X. REUSS.

Catholic Hierarchy of the United States.

ALEMANY, MT. REV. JOSEPH SADOC, O.P., D.D.,

(First Bp. Monterey, First Abp. San Francisco)

Born July 13, 1814, and baptized on the same day, at Vich, Province of Catalonia, Spain. His parents were Don Antonio Alemany, and Doña Maria Miguelo Cunis,⁽¹⁾ ordained March 27, 1837, being Saturday before Passion Sunday, at Viterbo, Italy, in the Cathedral of San Lorenzo, by Mgr. Gaspar Piannetti, Abp. of Viterbo, and Toscano⁽²⁾. He was consecrated in the Church of San Carlo, at Rome, on June 30, 1850, by Cardinal Fransoni, Abp. of "Nazienzenus", assisted by R'mo Josepho Valergo, Patriarch of Jerusalem, and R'mo Joanna Dominico Stefanelli, Abp. of "Trajanópolis", having been elected on May 31, 1850, Bp. of Monterey,⁽³⁾ California, U. S. A. On July 29, 1853, he was promoted to the title of Abp. and transferred to the See of San Francisco; resigned in November, 1884, accepted December, 1884, and he was made Titular Abp. of "Pelusium".

Died April 14, 1888, at Valencia, Spain.

(1) From Record of the baptism in the Cathedral of Vich, copy furnished by H. E. The Cardinal Abp. of Valencia, also from Bp. of Vich.

(2) Ordination data from the Abp. of Valencia, verified by letters from the Dominican Convents at Toledo (Spain), Viterbo and Florence. The Bp. of Vich, adds, "During the last three months of the year 1836 he resided at Vich, when he was sent to Rome, from whence he went to Viterbo."

The Bp. of Viterbo also sent official copy of the Record of the ordination.

(3) The Consecration data have never been published in any of our histories. Search having been made for it during three years prior to 1897, in all the Dominican Convents in Europe and America. Dr. Shea, in "Church in the U. S., Vol. iv., p. 356, gives the date June 13 (an error). Search was also made at the Propaganda, in the Archives of the "Cereemoniale," at Rome. Fr. Brandi, Cardl Parrochi, Mgr. Reggi, Mgr. Menghini sought in vain. Padre Emanuelo Alemany, O. S. D., of Florence, and Padres Ignacio and Miguel Alemany, O. S. D.

(of Spain), brother and nephews of the Abp., made repeated searches—in vain. The merest accident of search revealed the original certificate in a packet of old papers; it is signed viz.:

*"Joan, Corazza Apticae, sedes coereemoniarius,
 "Protonotarius,
 "Nathanael Car, Fucillis, Sectis,
 "Jo Bapta, Pavoni, Testis,
 "Fr. Joannes M. Alemany."*

ALLEN, RT. REV. EDWARD PATRICK, D.D.,
 (Fifth Bp. of Mobile, Ala.)

Born at Lowell, Mass., March 17, 1853, of John and Mary (Egan) Allen; received Tonsure August 26, 1880, at the hands of Bp. Watterson, of Columbus; Deacon, Sub Deacon, in September, 1881, from Bp. Shanahan; ordained Priest, December 17, 1881, at Mt. St. Mary's, Emmettsburg, Md., by Bp. Becker, of Wilmington, Del.; received the degree of "D.D.," in 1889, from Georgetown College, D. C. He was appointed Bp. of Mobile, in January, 1897. The Bull was dated the 26th; consecrated May 16, 1897, at Baltimore (cathedral), by Cardinal Gibbons, assisted by Bp. Fitzgerald, and Bp. Harkins; sermon by Rev. Philip J. Garrigan, D.D., of the Catholic University.

ALLEN, RT. REV. MGR., PATRICK FRANCIS,
 (Domestic Prelate, Diocese, N. O.)

(1) Born 1833, in the Diocese of Meath, Ireland; ordained December 21, 1862, at New Orleans, La., by Bp. Odin; named Dom. Prel. 1879; invested by Abp. Perché.

Died at New Orleans, November 23, 1887.

(1) The above furnished by Archbishop Janssens, being the only data available to him; birth, date and place unknown.

ALEXIUS, RT. REV. ABBOT, O.S.B.,
 (baptized, "Anthony Edelbrock.")

Born September 12, 1843, at Duermen, Westphalia, Germany; professed at St. Vincents, Abbey, Pa., August 15, 1864; ordained September 29, 1867, at St. Paul Minn., by Rt. Rev. Thomas L. Grace, D.D.; elected Abbot of St. Louis' Abbey, at Collegeville, Minn., on June 2, 1875; election confirmed by Rome, August 15, 1875. He was Blessed Abbot at St. Cloud, Minn., on October 24, 1875, by Rt. Rev. Rupert Seidenbush, O. S. B.; abdicated November 30, 1889; resides at St. Anselm's Church, New York City.

AMAT, RT. REV. THADEUS ⁽¹⁾, C.M., D.D.,
(Second Bp. of Monterey, Cal.)

Born December 31, 1810 ⁽²⁾, in Barcelona, Spain; ordained "Trinity Ordinations," 1838 ⁽³⁾, at the House of the "C. M.," Paris, France ⁽⁴⁾, by Mgr. Hyacinthe Louis de Quelen, Abp. of Paris; consecrated in the Chapel of the Urban College, Rome, Italy ⁽⁵⁾, March 12, 1854, by Cardinal Fransoni, assisted by Mgr. Letterio Turchi, Bp. of Citta de Castello, and Mgr. Guglielmo Keane, Bp. of Ross, Ireland; made Bp. Monterey and Los Angeles. The Holy See granted to him the faculty of being called Bishop of Los Angeles, in 1859, and permitted him to take his seat at that place.

Died at Los Angeles, Cal., May 12, 1878.

(1) The name is printed "Theofile," in the "*Giornale di Roma*," of March 13, 1854, but is recorded as "Thaddeus."

(2) From Bp. 'Mora.'

(3) From Bp. 'Mora.'

(4) Entered the C. M., in 1832. This data of ordination is from the Paris House.

(5) Elected July 28, 1853, (*Giornale di Roma*, March 13, 1854,) he came to the U. S. in 1838, went into the missions of Louisiana, in 1841 was named Director of Novices in the C. M. House (The Barrens), in Missouri, in 1847 Superior at Philadelphia.

Dr. Shea, in "*History Church in U. S.*," Vol. iv, p. 709, erroneously states that he was Rector of the Seminary (Phila.) till 1857, three years after his consecration.

ANDREW, RT. REV. ARCH ABBOT, O.S.B.,
(baptised, 'Tobias Hintenach.')

Born at Schollbrunn, Freiburg, Baden, May 12, 1844; professed July 11, 1861; ordained April 12, 1867, at St. Vincent's Abbey, Pa., by Bp. Domenec, of Pittsburg; elected Abbot of "St. Vincents," February 8, 1888; election confirmed at Rome, July 4, 1888; blessed at "St. Vincents," July 5, 1888, by Bp. Phelan, of Pittsburg; made Arch Abbot in September of same year. Resignation accepted at Rome, May 25, 1892, announced to the Chapter June 6, 1892, since when he has been chaplain at the Benedictine Convent of "St. Scholastica," Canon City, Diocese of Denver, Colorado.

BACON, RT. REV. DAVID WILLIAM, D.D.,
(First Bp. of Portland, Me.)

Born September 15, 1813, in New York City. Ordained December 13, 1838, at St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, by Abp. Eccleston; consecrated at the Cathedral, New York City, April 22, 1855, by Abp. Hughes, assisted by Bp. Fitzpatrick of Boston, and Bp. Loughlin of Brooklyn;

sermon by Bp. McCloskey of Albany. In August, 1874, he sailed for Europe for his health, in company with Abp. McCloskey of New York. On reaching Brest he was taken to the hospital, where he lay until Dr. McCloskey was returning to the United States, when, at his own request, he was placed on board the vessel and sailed for New York. He never recovered, and died in New York City, November 5, 1874.

BALTES, RT. REV. PETER JOSEPH, D.D.,

(Second Bp. of Alton, Ill.)

Born April 7, 1827, at Ensheim, Bavaria; ordained May 21, 1853, at Montreal, Canada, by Bp. Ignatius Bourget, D.D.; consecrated in St. Peter's Church, Belleville, Ill., January 23, 1870, by Bp. Leurs, assisted by Bp. Toebe and V. Rev. P. J. Ryan, V. G., of St. Louis (later Abp. of Phila.).

Died at Alton, Ill., February 15, 1886.

BARAGA, RT. REV. FREDERICK, D.D.,

(First Bp. of Sault Ste Marie, Mich.)

(1) Born June 29, 1797, in Malavas Parish, Debernitz, Treffin, in Carniola; ordained September 21, 1823, at Laibach, Austria, by the Prince-bishop, Augustine Gruber, D.D.; consecrated Bp. of "Amyzon," i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of Upper Michigan, on November 1, 1853, at Cincinnati, O., by Bp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. Henni, and Bp. Lefevre; made Bp. of Sault Ste Marie, January, 9, 1857; sede transferred to Marquette, Mich., in May, 1866.

Died at Marquette, January 19, 1868.

(1) Dr. Shea, in "Church in U. S.," says he was born in Treffin Castle, which is not the fact, as his father did not occupy Treffin Castle until the future bishop was more than two years of age.

BARRY, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(Second Bp. of Savannah.)

Born 1799 (1), in the Townland of Coolamaine, Parish of Oylegate, Co. Wexford, Ireland (2); ordained September 24, 1825, in Charleston, S. C., by Bp. England; consecrated at Baltimore, August 2, 1857, by Abp. Kenrick of Baltimore, assisted by Bp. Portier, and Bp. Neumann, sermon by Bp. McGill. He went to Europe for his health in July, 1859.

Died at Paris, France, November 19, 1859 (3).

(1) "The date is unknown, *****. There was no baptismal register kept at Oylegate at that time, as was ascertained when search was made for the birth date of a younger brother, the late Judge Patrick Barry, of California. My father, George Barry, was the second youngest brother, and so far as I can learn, the first of the family whose baptism is recorded in the local register. There can be no possibility of ascertaining the exact date *****."

(Letter of Rev. Sylvester Barry to the author, dated from Bedigo, Victoria. Australia, August 13, 1895.)

(2) A letter from Dr. Browne, Bp. of Ferns, Ireland, says: "The place of Bp. Barry's birth was a comfortable farmer's home on the south side of the river Slaney, near the village of Oylegate, midway between Wexford and Enniscorthy, about six miles from the latter place. He was not born, as has been said, in Barony of Forth. He visited his native place in 1852, and old people describe him as—of middle size, greatly worn, and a good preacher. The house is yet standing, and his relatives are yet there, the registers were begun in 1803 *****. I would refer you to his nephew, Rev. S. Barry, etc. *****"

(3) He did not resign his See as has been published.

A copy of the death register, at the house of the brothers of "St. John of God," Paris, where he died, reads: "Died November 19, 1859, at No. 19, Rue Oudinot, Paris, Maison de Santé de Ste Jean de Dieu, of heart disease, Mgr. Jean Barry, ev. de Savannah."

The disease was rather of the brain than of the heart, as he really lost his reason. The author found this to be the fact, while (some years ago) searching for a portrait of Bp. Barry, which he found in a convent in Paris. It had been taken after death, the body being robed in full pontificals and surrounded by lighted candles. This portrait was copied by Sig. Gregori, at Notre Dame University, Ind., who represented a life-like figure, wearing a *bèretta*. This sketch I had verified in Savannah, and Paris. It is now the best portrait of the Bishop existing. The original pencil sketch is in the *Reuss* collection, in the library of the American Catholic Historical Society, Philadelphia.

Copy of *certificate* of burial, and removal from cemetery, in Paris, furnished by the Authorities to the author.

"Mt. Parnasse, Paris, M. Jean Barry, ev. age de 60 ans, inhumé Nov. 22, 1859, par les soins du 10 arrondissement il a été exhumé Août 24, 1865, et transporté à Savannah, Amérique," Août 6, 1896, Signé, Roult, conservateur."

BATZ, RT. REV. MGR. LEONARD,

(Domestic Prelate.)

Born February 7, 1826, at Arnsberg, Bavaria; was ordained October 18, 1858, at the Seminary, in Milwaukee, Wis., by Rt. Rev. John M. Henni; named Domestic Prelate July 9, 1882; invested in Milwaukee by Abp. Heiss.

BAUER, RT. REV. MGR. JOSEPH,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of St. Cloud.)

Born July 30, 1842, at Niederbronn, Alsace, France; ordained June 29, 1865, at Alger, by Rt. Rev. Louis Pavy, D.D.; named Very Rev. Mgr., December, 1889; named Rt. Rev. Mgr., March 1894; invested by Bp. Zardetti, at St. Cloud, Minn.; was administrator of St. Cloud from May 16, 1894, till April, 1895, also from September 19, 1896; still remains administrator until that See shall be otherwise provided for.

BAYLEY, MT. REV. JAMES ROOSEVELT, D.D.,

(First Bp. Newark, eighth Abp. Baltimore.)

Born August 23, 1814, at Rye, a village near New York City; ordained March 2, 1844, in old St. Peter's pro Cathedral, New York City, by Bp. Hughes; consecrated in New York City, October 30, 1853, by Abp. Cajetan Bedini, Ap. Nuncio to the United States, assisted by Bp. Rappe, and Bp. McCloskey, of Albany; transferred to Baltimore, as Abp. July 30, 1872 ⁽¹⁾. Died at the Bishop's House, Newark, N. J., October 3, 1877, and was buried at Emmitsburg, Md., beside his aunt, Mother Seton, Abp. Bayley was a convert, received into the church, April 28, 1842, at the Church of the *Gesu*; Rome, Italy, was confirmed, and received the Holy Eucharist from the hands of Cardinal Frasoni in the Chapel of "St. Ignatius," Rome.

(1) Invested with the Pallium, October 19, 1872 (Sunday), at the hands of Bishop Wood of Philadelphia, who celebrated Pontifical Mass in the Cathedral at Baltimore.

BAZIN, RT. REV. JOHN STEPHEN, D.D. (1),

(Third Bp. of Vincennes, Ind.)

Born October 15, 1796, at Duerne (Rhône), near Lyons, France; ordained July 22, 1822 ⁽²⁾, in the Cathedral at Lyons, France, by Mgr. Morel de Mons, Abp. of Avignon (Vaucluse); consecrated in Cathedral at Vincennes, October 24, 1847, by Bp. Portier, assisted by Bp. Purcell, and Bp. Hailandière, (resigned) ⁽³⁾.

Died Easter Sunday, April 23, 1848, at Vincennes.

(1) Gams, "Index Episcoporum," gives the name as John Sebastian.

(2) It has been published that he was ordained in 1824. His Grace the Archbishop of Lyons, by letter of March, 1896, gives me the copy of the *record*, containing dates given above. There is a letter in the "Annales," dated 1831, which gives some facts concerning him. "Nothing more definite can be found *****. He left Havre, for America in October, 1830, being already a priest ordained in France, probably in Lyons."

Mr. Henry S. Canthorn in a sketch published in ———, says: "Shortly after his ordination he was induced by Bp. Portier, to come to the diocese of Mobile (1830), being then about 34 years old *****."

(3) Bp. Reynolds, of Charleston, preached at the consecration.

BEAVAN, RT. REV. THOMAS, D.D.,

(Second Bishop of Springfield, Mass.)

Born March 1, 1851, in Springfield, Mass.; ordained December 18, 1875, at Montreal, Canada, by Most Rev. Edward Charles Fabre, D.D., of Montreal; consecrated at Springfield, Mass., October 18, 1892, by Most Rev. John J. Williams, of Boston, assisted by Rt. Rev. Denis M. Bradley, of Manchester, N. H., and Rt. Rev. J. S. Michaud, Coadr. of Burlington, Vt.

(Furnished by Bp. Beavan.)

BECKER, RT. REV. THOMAS ANDREW, D.D.,

(Baptized *Thomas Albert*, took *Andrew* in confirmation.)

Born December 20, 1832, at Pittsburg, Pa.; ordained June 18, 1859, at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Patrizzi; consecrated at Baltimore, Md., August 16, 1868, having been appointed Bp. of Wilmington, Del., March 3, 1868, consecrator, Abp. Spalding, of Baltimore, assisted by Bp. McGill, and Bp. Whelan, of Wheeling; translated to Savannah, Ga., March 26, 1886.

(Furnished by Bp. Becker.)

BENEDICT, RT. REV. ABBOT, O. S. B.,

(Baptized Jacobus Menges.)

Born July 31, 1840, at *Obermohr*, Bavaria; professed at "St. Vincent's" Abbey, Pa., October 5, 1872; ordained December 21, 1872, at *St. Vincent's* Abbey, by Rt. Rev. Michael Domenec, of Pittsburg; elected Abbot of *St. Benedict's* Abbey, Cullman, Ala., September 29, 1891; election confirmed by Rome, December 15, 1891; blessed January 27, 1892, by Rt. Rev. J. O'Sullivan, of Mobile, Ala.

(Furnished by the Abbot.)

BENOIT, RT. REV. MGR. JULIAN,

(Domestic Prelate.)

Born October 17, 1808, at *Septmoncel* (a village in Jura Mountains), France; ordained April 25, 1837, at the Seminary, Emmettsburg, Md., by Rt. Rev. Simon G. Brute, of Vincennes, Ind.; named Rt. Rev. Mgr. and Domestic Prelate, June 12, 1883; invested by Bp. Dwenger, at Ft. Wayne, August 16, 1883. Died at Ft. Wayne, January 26, 1885; had been administrator *Sede Vacante*, after death of Bp. Luers.

(Furnished Mgr. Benoit; MSS. in *Russ* collection.)

BERNARD, RT. REV. ABBOT, O. S. B.,

(Baptized Francis Locnikar.)

Born September 28, 1848, at Bitnje, Austria; professed October 13, 1872; ordained December 22, 1872, at St. Paul, Minn., by Rt. Rev. Thomas L. Grace, D.D.; elected Abbot of "St. John's Abbey," Minn., May 7, 1890; election confirmed by Rome, July 6, 1890; blessed August 27, 1890, at the Abbey, by Rt. Rev. Otto Zardette, of St. Cloud.

Died at the Abbey, November 7, 1894.

(Verified by the Abbot Bernard.)

BESSONIES, RT. REV. MGR. AUGUST,
(Domestic Prelate.)

Born June 17, 1815, at Alzac, Dept. du Lot, Province of Quercy, France; ordained February 22, 1840, at Vincennes, Ind., by Rt. Rev. Celestine Hailandiere, of Vincennes; named Rt. Rev. Mgr., January 22, 1884; invested at Vincennes, by Bp. Chatard.

(From Mgr. Bessonies.)

BLANC, RT. REV. ANTHONY, D.D.,

(Fourth Bp., First Abp. of New Orleans, La.)

(1) Born October 11, 1792, at Sury le Comtal, near Lyons, Dept. Loire, France; ordained July 22, 1816 (shortly before his departure from France), in the Chapel of the *Grand Séminaire*, Lyons, France, by Bp. Dubourg, of New Orleans, U. S., who was visiting France (2). He was consecrated at N. O., November 22, 1835, by Bp. Rosati of St. Louis, assisted by Bp. Purcell, of Cincinnati, and Bp. Portier of Mobile; promoted Abp. July 19, 1850; received the Pallium from the hands of Bp. Portier, February 16, 1851; was administrator *Sede Vacante*, of N. O., 1833, till his consecration.

Died (suddenly) at New Orleans, Wednesday, June 20, 1860.

(Archives of Dio. N. O.)

(1) Data from the Abp. of Lyons.

(2) The ordinations were performed, mostly, by the Bp. of Grenoble. The Abp. of Lyons being (exiled) in Rome, since the downfall of Napoleon, Vic-Gen. Courtay, was administrator. There is no record at New Orleans nor at Paris. A clergyman of the "S. J." made searches for this work, and writes, viz.: "At that time (Revolutionary and Imperial Epoch) in France, ecclesiastical affairs were in great confusion. Few, if any, records were kept; ecclesiastical jurisdiction was suspended. There was no ecclesiastical journalism. The memoirs of the time are silent. The Archbishop of Paris died 1811. The See was vacant. Cardl. Maury was at Rome, under censure, Cardl. Fesch, was an exile, and the affairs of that See were settled only in 1822, during which interval Episcopal functions were performed by any available bishops in good standing. An instance is in case of the Cure d'Ars, who received the Deaconates at Lyons from the Bp. of Grenoble, and had to go to the latter city for the priesthood." Another Father, S. J., thinks he was ordained by Bp. Dubourg, who in that year ordained at both seminaries at Lyons, and was in fact a great figure in that Diocese in 1816. The whole was verified by letter of Abp. of Lyons, to the author, dated March 12, 1896. There is no published account of this data in U. S., so far as can be found after a long search by the Bishops of the Province of New Orleans.

The "*Pronagateur Catholique*," February, 1851, gives the *Séminaire* as the place of ordination. The Bp. of Grenoble (1895) writes that no records exist of the ordination in the archives of that See, and he is convinced that Bp. Dubourg performed the ceremony.

The three names sent to Rome for the vacant See of New Orleans were Rev. Ant. Blanc, Rev. John M. Odin, Rev. M. Loras. Letter of Bp. England, to Dr. O'Connor, dated Feb., 25, 1835; in "Records, American Cath. Hist. Society." Phila. 1897.

**BLANCHET, RT. REV. AUGUSTIN MAGLIORE
ALEXANDER, D.D.,**

(First Bp. of Walla Walla,—Nesqually.)

Born August 22, 1797, at St. Pierre, Riviere du Süd, Prov. Quebec, Canada; ordained June 3, 1821, in the Chapel of the Ursuline Convent, at Quebec, by Rt. Rev. J. O. Plessis, Bp. of Quebec; consecrated at Montreal, Canada, September 27, 1846 (Bull of appointment dated July 24, 1846), by Bp. Ignace Bourget of Montreal, assisted by Mgr. Remigius Gaulin (titular, "Regispolitani," later, Bp. of Kingston), and Mgr. John Charles Prince, coadjutor to the Bp. of Montreal. On May 31, 1850, the See of Walla Walla was suppressed and that of Nesqually erected. It is generally given that he was translated to the new See on that date, but the Roman "Pontificio Annoario," gives the date as June 28. He was Administrator of the old Sees of "Ft. Hall" and "Colville," until they were suppressed with Walla Walla. He resigned in February, 1879, and was translated to the Titular See of "Ibora."

Died February 25, 1887, at Vancouver, Oregon.

(Furnished by Bp. Blanchet, 1884, MS, in "Reuss," Collection.)

"St. Peter's Church" was under construction during his residence at Walla Walla, but as he was forced in January, 1848, to leave his See, in consequence of a war with the *Cayure* nation, it was hindered from completion.

Lucas' Catholic Directory, for 1853, gives October, 1850, as time of transfer to Nesqually, but the "Pontificio Annoario" is the most reliable.

BLANCHET, MT. REV. FRANCIS NORBERT, D.D.,

(First Bp. of Oregon.)

Born September 30, 1795, in the Parish of St. Pierre, Riviere du Süd, Prov. Quebec, Canada; ordained July 18, 1819, at Quebec, by Mgr. Joseph Octave, Plessis Bp. of Quebec; consecrated at Montreal, Canada, July 25, 1845, by Mgr. Ignace Bourget, of Montreal, assisted by Mgr. Pierre Flavien, Tourgeon, Coadjutor of Quebec, and Rt. Rev. Michael Power, of Toronto. By Brief dated December 1, 1843, he was made Titular Bp. of "Philadelphiensis," but by letter of May 4, 1844 (1), was translated to the Titular See of "Drasa," and named Vicar Apostolic of Oregon. On July 24, 1846, he was named (First) Bp. of Oregon City, and on July 29, 1850, promoted (First) Abp. of Oregon City. Resigned February 27, 1880, and on December 10, of that year, named Bp. of "Amida," i. p. i.; he was administrator *Sede Vacante*, of the See's of Oregon, which had been

erected, but never had any Bishop, viz., "Princess Charlotte," and "New Caledonia" (later suppressed).

Died at Portland, Oregon, June 18, 1883.

(1) Dr. Shea gives May 7. The above is from the Diocesan Archives. The reason for change in the *Titular* See, was that confusion might arise out of the duplication of the title "Philadelphia."

BOFF, RT. REV. MGR. FELIX MARY,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of Cleveland).

Born at Haegen, Alsace, France, on January 25, 1831; ordained March 26, 1853, at Cleveland, O., by Bp. Rappe; named Rt. Rev. and Domestic Prelate, July 28, 1885; invested November 8, 1885, by Bp. Gilmour, at Cleveland.

(Furnished by Mgr. Boff.)

BONACUM, RT. REV. THOMAS, D.D.,

(First Bp. of Lincoln, Neb.)

Born January 29, 1847, near Thurles, Co. Tipperrary, Ireland; ordained June 18, 1870, at St. Louis, Mo., by Bp. Joseph Melcher, of Green Bay; consecrated at St. Louis, November 30, 1887, by Mt. Rev. P. R. Kenrick, of St. Louis, assisted by Rt. Rev. James O'Conner, of Omaha, and Rt. Rev. Louis M. Fink, of Kansas City, Kan.

(Furnished by Bp. Bonacum.)

BORGESS, RT. REV. CASPAR HENRY, D.D.,

(Third Bp. of Detroit, Mich.)

Born August 1, 1824, at Koppenberg, near Essen (Oldenburg), Hanover, Germany; ordained December 8, 1847, at Cincinnati, O., by Bp. Purcell. He was consecrated Bp. of "Calydon," i. p. i., and Coadjutor and Administrator of Detroit, on April 24, 1870, at Cincinnati, O., by Bp. Rosencrans, assisted by Bp. Feehan, and Bp. Luers; became Bp. of Detroit, December 27, 1871; resigned April 16, 1888, and received the Titular See of "Phacusesites."

Died May 3, 1890, at Kalamazoo, Mich., having been stricken with paralysis on April 27 of that year.

[From Diocese of Detroit.]

BOURGADE, RT. REV. PETER, D.D.,

(Vicar Apostolic, of Arizona.)

Born October 17, 1845, in the Parish of Villore-Ville, France; ordained on November 30, 1869, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, by Abp. Lamy; consecrated at Santa Fe, May 1, 1885, by Abp. Lamy, assisted by Coadjutor Abp.

Salpointe, and Vic. Ap. Machebeuf, of Colorado; appointed Vic. Ap. of Arizona, January 23, 1885, and Titular Bp. of "Thaumacum" on February 7, 1885; July (1), 1897, made Bp. of Tucson, Arizona.

Hoffmann's "Catholic Directory," gives the title as Bp. of "Doryla," an error. The above is given the author by Bp. Bourgade himself.

(1) News received just as sheets were going to press, too late to verify the date.

BRADLEY, RT. REV. DENIS MARY, D.D.,

(First Bishop of Manchester, N. H.)

Born February 25, 1846, in the Parish of Castleisland, Co. Kerry, Ireland; ordained June 3, 1871, at St. Joseph's Seminary, Troy, N. Y., by Bishop McQuaid, of Rochester; consecrated at St. Joseph's Church, Manchester, N. H., June 11, 1884, by Abp. Williams, assisted by Bishops Goesbriand and Moore.

(Furnished by Bp. Bradley.)

BRADY, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(Titular Bishop of "Alabanda," and Auxiliary Bishop of Boston, Mass.)

Born April 11, 1842 (1), at Crosserlough, Co. Caven, Ireland; ordained December 4, 1864, at All Hallow's College, Dublin, Ireland, by Rt. Rev. John Francis Whelan, Bp. of Bombay, India; consecrated at Boston, August 5, 1891, by Abp. Williams, assisted by Bp. O'Reilly, of Springfield, Mass., and Bp. Harkins, of Providence, R. I.

(1) From original baptismal register. "Sponsors, Francis Brady and Mary Brady."

(Verified by Bp. Brady.)

BRENNAN, RT. REV. THOMAS FRANCIS, D.D.,

(First Bp. of Dallas, Texas.)

Born October, 1853, at Tipperrary, Ireland; ordained July 4, 1880, at Brixen, in Tyrol, by the Prince Bishop of Brixen; consecrated at Erie, Pa., April 5, 1891, having been appointed "Bp. of Dallas," on December 22, 1890; consecrator, Bp. Mullen, of Erie, assisted by Bp. McGovern of Harrisburg, and Bp. Phelan, of Pittsburg; transferred to the titular See of "Utile," on February 1, 1893, and made Coadjutor to the See of *St. John*, New Foundland. Removed for cause, and called to Rome, when Bp. Howley was made Bp. of St. John; was to have been sent to a college at Constantinople, but lack of money and the Turkish troubles caused his being retained at Rome, where he resides at this date. January 1, 1897. He was named V. Rev. Mgr. at Rome, in January, 1888.

(Furnished by Bp. Mullen and Rev. James Brennan.)

BRONDEL, RT. REV. JOHN BAPTIST, D.D.,

(First Bishop of Helena, Montana.)

Born February 23, 1842, at Bruges, West Flanders, Belgium; ordained December 17, 1864, at Mechlin, Belgium, by Cardinal Engelbert Stercks; consecrated "Bp. of Vancouver" (B. C.), at Victoria, Vanc. Is., December 14, 1879, by Abp. Seghers, of Oregon, assisted by Bp. Junger, of Nesqually, and Bp. Louis D'Herbomez, of the "N. W. Territory," British Columbia. Bp. Lootens was also present. By a *Bull*, of April 7, 1883, he was made *Administrator* of the "Vicariate," of Montana, and on March 7, 1884, was translated to *Helena*, as first Bishop of that See.

(Data from Bp. Brondel.)

BROCHU, RT. REV. MGR. GEORGE ELZEAR,

(Protonotary Apostolic and Domestic Prelate.)

Born October 2, 1842, at *St. Anselme*, Province of Quebec, Canada; ordained August 9, 1868, at Montreal, Canada, by Abp. Ignace Bourget; named "Rt. Rev. Mgr.," (Dom. Prel.) at Rome, May 15, 1890, and invested in that city by Cardinal Ledochowski. In a letter to the author, Mgr. Brochu, writes: "**** 11 Mai, 1890, j'ai fait profession de Foi, et prete le Serment fidelite suivant l'usage du College du Protonotaries Apostolique."

BRUTE-DE-REMUR, RT. REV. SIMON WILLIAM GABRIEL, D.D.,

(First Bp. of Vincennes, Ind.)

Born March 20, 1779, at Renués, France; ordained Saturday before Trinity Sunday (June 11), 1808, at Paris, France, by Mgr. Claudius Andre (retired Bp. of Quimper); consecrated at St. Louis, Mo., October 28, 1834, by Bp. Flaget, of Ky., assisted by Bp. Rosati, of St. Louis, and Bp. Purcell, of Cincinnati.

Died at Vincennes, Ind., June 26, 1839.

(Verified at Vincennes.)

BURKE, RT. REV. MAURICE FRANCIS, D.D.,

(Bp. of Cheyenne, Wyoming.)

Born May 5, 1845, on farm land, in Co. Limerick, Ireland (1); ordained May 22, 1875, at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Patrizzi; consecrated in Cathedral of the *Holy Name*, Chicago, Ill., October 28, 1887, by Abp. Feehan, assisted by Bp. McClosky, of Louisville, Ky., and Bp.

Cosgrove, of Davenport, Iowa; transferred to the See of St. Joseph, Mo., June 19, 1893.

(1) Bp. Burke came to America in the fourth year of his age, and does not remember the name of the Parish in which he was born and baptized.

(Letter to the author.)

BURKE, RT. REV. THOMAS MARTIN ALOYSIUS, DD.,
(Bp. of Albany, N. Y.)

Born January 10, 1840, in Utica, N. Y. (?) ⁽¹⁾; ordained June 30, 1864, at St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, by Bp. Francis McFarland, of Hartford; consecrated at Albany, July 1, 1894, by Abp. Corrigan, of N. Y., assisted by Bp. McQuaid, of Rochester, and Bp. Ludden, of Syracuse; was administrator *Sede Vacante*, of Albany, after death of Bp. McNierny; created Knight of the *Holy Sepulchre*, January, 27, 1890 ⁽²⁾; created Knight of the *Grand Cross*, June, 1894.

(1) His early years were passed in "Utica" (Official Souvenir of Consecration). It is also stated that he was born in Ireland.

(2) Hoffmann's Directory gives *June, 1890*, as month and year. The above is from the "Official Souvenir of Consecration."

BUTLER, RT. REV. THADEUS JOSEPH, D.D.,
(Bp. Elect. of Concordia, Kansas.)

Born November 1, 1833, in the City of Limerick, Ireland; ordained July 25, 1856, by Abp. Lugi Bussi, in his private Chapel, Rome, Italy; elected Bp. of Concordia, *about* July 14, 1897. (The Bulls were found among his papers. "It is too late to learn particulars before your book goes to press.") He was to have been consecrated by Cardinal Satolli, in the Church of "San Giovanni Laterano," at Rome, on Sunday July 18, 1897. Died at the hospital conducted by the Sisters of the "Little Company of Mary," No. 45, Via Castelfidardo, Rome, Italy; obsequies held in Church of Sacred Heart. Some American friends in Rome shipped the body to Chicago and was buried in Calvary Cemetery.

Dr. Butler had been Chaplain to Col. Mulligan's "Irish Brigade" during the late Civil war. Left Chicago for Rome, June 27, 1897. His obsequies were held on the day he was to have been consecrated.

BYRNE, RT. REV. ANDREW, D.D.,
(Bp. of Little Rock, Ark.)

Born December 5, 1802; at Naven, Parish of Kilmesan, Co. Meath, Ireland; ordained November 11, 1827, at Charleston, S. C., by Bp. England; consecrated at New

York City, on March 10, 1844, having been elected November 28, 1843. The consecrator was Bp. Hughes, of N. Y., assisted by Bp. Fenwick, of Boston, and Bp. Whelan, of Richmond.

Died June 10, 1862, at Helena, Arkansas.

(1) Coogan's "History of Meath," gives the year of birth as 1798, but this is an error. (Letter from Meath). Shea, Clarke and O'Connell, give 1802.

BYRNE, RT. REV. THOMAS SEBASTIAN, D.D.,

(Bp. of Nashville, Tenn.)

Born July 19, 1841, at Hamilton, Ohio; ordained May 22, 1869, in the Chapel at Mt. St. Mary's Seminary, Cincinnati, O., by Abp. Purcell; consecrated at Nashville, July 25, 1894, by Abp. Elder, of Cincinnati, assisted by Bp. Watterson, of Columbus, O., and Bp. Maes, of Covington, Ky.

CAILLET, RT. REV. MGR. LOUIS EUGENE,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of St. Paul, Minn.)

Born September 24, 1832, at Lyons, France; ordained August 12, 1857, at St. Paul, Minn., by Bp. Smythe, of Dubuque; named Dom. Prelate, by Rome; invested August, 1892, by Bishop Ireland, in St. Mary's Church, St. Paul, Minn.

Died at the Seminary, St. Paul, Minn., November 28, 1897.

CANTWELL, RT. REV. MGR. NICHOLAS,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of Philadelphia, Pa.)

Born May 6, 1813, at Clonmel, Co. Tipperary, Ireland; ordained November 4, 1841, at Philadelphia, by Bp. F. P. Kenrick, named Dom. Prelate (date of diploma) February 4, 1890; invested March 25, 1890, by Abp. Ryan.

CARRELL, RT. REV. GEORGE ALOYSIUS, D.D.,

(Bp. of Covington, Ky.)

Born June 13, 1803, and baptized in St. Joseph's Church, Philadelphia, Pa. (1); ordained December 20, 1827, in St. Augustine's Church, Philadelphia, by Bp. Henry Conwell (2); consecrated at Cincinnati, O., on November 1, 1853, by Abp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. Henni, of Milwaukee, and Bp. Lefevre, of Detroit.

Died at Covington, Ky., September 25, 1868.

(1) From Baptismal Records, St. Joseph's Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

(2) Dr. Shea, in his "History of the Church in the U. S.," gives the year as 1829. No date is given, every historical or biographical work published on the subject, gives the same year. The above date and year, I

copied from the original certificate of ordination in the autograph of Bp. Conwell, which was lately found during a search made especially for this work. If ever the certificate was used, the error of the year as usually given may have arisen from the fact that Dr. Conwell had written, first 1828, and then wrote "7," over the final "8," which made the figures seem like "1829," but, the fact that the *date* was never mentioned makes it seem improbable that the certificate was ever used. Again, Bp. Conwell fixes the year to a certainty by writing, "Millesimo, Octingentisimo, Vigesimo, septimo die vero Mensis, etc.," over his signature, as ordaining Prelate. Certificate copied June 19, 1896. F. X. R.

"He entered the 'S. J.' August 19, 1835 (letter from western province of the S. J.).

"Bp. Carrell was a novice at the *Whitemarsh* House of the S. J. in Maryland, but left the Society; he returned, however, after his ordination. The records of Whitemarsh were all destroyed by fire in 1852."

"There are no Records at Georgetown."

Genealogy of Bp. Carrell furnished by favor of Mr. Michael Jenkins, of Baltimore. John Clater, born 1678, married Elizabeth Mary O'Neal, born 1686, died 1762, had issue, one child, viz., Elizabeth Mary, who married Thomas Carrell, born 1723, died 1786, had issue, Daniel, born 1761, and Edward, born 1765, died 1807; Edward married Mary Byrne in 1789, and Daniel married Elizabeth Carleton. John, a third child, married Mary Judith Moore. The children of the latter were, Elizabeth, born 1788, died 1818, married Fielding Lucas; Ann, born—, married Thomas Hurley; John, —, married Sarah Cauffmann; Louise, born 1805, died 1882, married Thomas C. Jenkins, who was born in 1802, married 1830, died 1881; George Aloysius, who became Bp. of Covington.

CARROLL, MT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(Baltimore.)

Born January 8, 1735, at Upper Marlboro, Prince George Co., Md.; ordained February 14, 1761, at Liege ⁽¹⁾, Belgium, by Mgr. Petro Ludovico Jaquet, D.D. ⁽²⁾; appointed Superior of the American Missions, June 9, 1784, consecrated first Bp. with Sede, at Baltimore, Md., on August 15, 1790, in the chapel at Lulworth Castle, Dorset, England, by Rt. Rev. Charles Walmesley, Vic. Ap. of the London district, assisted by Rev. Charles Plowden (sac.), and Rev. James Porter (sac.); promoted first Abp. April 8, 1808.

Died at Baltimore, December 3, 1815.

(1) Dr. Shea (DeCourey) edition 1879, p. 38, says Bp. Carroll was ordained (no date given) in 1759, search of the records at Liege was made by His Grace the Bp. of that See, which disproves this much copied error. In a letter the Archbishop gives a copy of the record, viz.; "Sub Deacon, October 26, 1760, by Bp. Jaquet," "Deacon, December 20, 1760, by Bp. Jaquet," "Priest, February 14, 1761, by Jaquet," "*Vide Registrum Sigilli*," "PP. 123-134-137, in Cancellaria Episcopale" "Leodii, hususque costoditum," "Datum, Mai 1895, M. Rutten, v. Gl."

(2) The ordaining prelate, Bp. Jaquet, was Titular Bp. of *Hippone*, and Suffragan of the Cathedral Church of Liege (Canon).

CHABRAT, RT. REV. GUY IGNATIUS, D.D.,
(Louisville, Ky.)

Born December 28, 1787, at Chambre, France; ordained December 25, 1811, at St. Rose Church (present Springfield, P. O.), Ky., by Bishop Flaget; consecrated at Bardstown, Ky., July 20, 1834, by Bishop Flaget, assisted by Bishop David, and Rev. R. P. Miles, O.P. (later Bishop of Nashville). Dr. Chabrat had been appointed to the Titular See of "Boleno," and Coadjutor to Bishop David, but the latter had resigned his See, and Bishop Flaget having been restored (See David and Flaget), Bishop Chabrat had been reappointed as Coadjutor to Dr. Flaget. He resigned in 1847, because of failing sight, kept his Titular See, and retired to France.

Died November 21, 1868, at Mauriac, France, being at the time totally blind.

CHANCHE, RT. REV. JOHN JOSEPH, D.D.,
(Natchez, Miss.)

Born October 4, 1795, at Baltimore, Md., parents, John Chanche and Catharine Provost; received Tonsure in 1810, from Abp. Carroll, minor orders from Abp. Neale; ordained Priest June 5, 1819, at Baltimore, by Abp. Marachal; consecrated at Baltimore, March 14, 1841, by Abp. Eccleston, assisted by Bp. Fenwick, of Boston, and Bp. Hughes of New York, Bp. Hughes preaching the sermon. An extract from the journal of Bp. Chanche says: "I started for the South on March 27, accompanied by my brother James, who went with me as far as Cincinnati, I descended the river as far as New Orleans, ****."

Died July 23, 1852, at Frederick, Md.

CHAPELLE, MT. REV. PLACIDE LOUIS, D.D.,
(Santa Fe, N. M.)

Born August 28, 1842, at Mende, Dept. Lozere, France; ordained June 29, 1865, at Baltimore, Md., by Abp. Spalding; appointed August 21, 1891, Titular Bp. of "Arabissus," and Coadjutor of Santa Fe; consecrated at Baltimore, November 1, 1891, by Cardinal Gibbons, assisted by Abp. Salpointe, of Santa Fe, and Bp. Kain, of Wheeling; promoted Titular Abp. of "Sebaste," May 10, 1893, and succeeded to the See of Santa Fe on resignation of Abp. Salpointe, January 7, 1894. Papal Brief of appointment as Archbishop of New Orleans, La., dated December 1, 1897; preconized March 24, 1898.

CHATARD, RT. REV. FRANCIS SILAS, D.D.,
(Vincennes, Ind.)

Born at Baltimore, Maryland, December 13, 1834,

ordained June, 1862, at St. John Lateran Church, Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Patrizzi; consecrated, Rome, in the Church of the American College, May 12, 1878, by Cardinal Franchi, Prefect of "Propaganda," assisted by Mgr. Santori, Bp. of Fano, Italy, Mgr. Agnette, President of the "Academia Ecclesiastica," at Rome; named Rt. Rev. Mgr. in 1875, Cameriere Segreto.

CHEVERUS, RT. REV. JEAN, LOUIS ANN MAGDELEN LEFEBRE, DE-, D.D.,

(Boston, Mass.)

Born January 28, 1768, at Mayenne, Dept. Mayenne, Diocese of Laval, France, parents, John Vincent Maria Lefebvre de-Cheverus, "Judex generalis," in Mayenne, for the Province of Lower Maine, and Anna Lemarchand de-Noyers. He made his first communion in 1779, received the first Tonsure at the age of 12 years, from the hands of Mgr. de Herce, Bp. of Dol, France; ordained December 18, 1790, in Paris. The record does not give the name of the ordaining Prelate. It is thought it was by Mgr. Gonssans, Bp. of Mans; he was placed (*parochus urbis*) at Mayenne, was made Vicar General; left France, September 11, 1792, and arrived in England the same month. October 3, 1796, he arrived in Boston, was elected Bp. April 8, 1808, and consecrated November 1, 1810, at Baltimore, Md., by Bp. Carroll, assisted by Coadjutor Bp. Neale, and Bp. Egan, of Philadelphia; sermon by Rev. Wm. V. Harold, of Philadelphia; transferred to France, as Bp. of Montauban, January 15, 1823; transferred to Bordeaux, as Abp., July 30, 1826; created Cardinal, February 1, 1836.

Died at Bordeaux, France, July 19, 1836.

CLANCY, RT. REV. WILLIAM, D.D.,

(Coadjutor to Charleston, S. C.)

Born February, 1802 ⁽¹⁾; (baptized February 14) ⁽²⁾, at Cork, Ireland; he entered Maynooth College, September, 1, 1819; received the Tonsure ⁽³⁾, May 20, 1821, (Fer. iii, within Pentecost week), and minor orders next day from Bp. Murray, Sub-Deacon, May 22, 1823 (Fer. V, within the octave from Pentecost); Deacon on the 23d, and Priest, May 24, 1823, by dispensation of age, at the hands of Bp. Murray, of Dublin. He was consecrated Bishop of "Oriense," i. p. i., and Coadjutor of Charleston, on December 21, 1834 ⁽⁴⁾, at Carlow, Ireland, by Rt. Rev. Edward Nolan, of Kildare, assisted by Bp. Michael Slattery, of Cashel, and Bp. William Kinsella, of Ossary.

On April 13, 1837 ⁽⁵⁾, he was transferred as Vicar Apostolic to British Guiana, from where he was removed for cause in 1843 ⁽⁶⁾. It is certain that his Titular See was taken from him ⁽⁷⁾. He retired to Ireland, where he died, at Cork, June 19, 1847. Buried in the vault of Cork Cathedral.

(1) I received two certificates of baptism from the Cathedral (SS. Mary and Anne, Shandon) at Cork. The first gives, "Parents, Daniel Clancey and Mary Geary," with the date as given in the text. The second gives the date of baptism, August 28, 1796, with parents, Patrick Clancy and Mary Hernon. This cannot be the correct entry, as the inscription on his tomb gives his age as "45 years."

(2) The Rev. Michael McCarthy, of Cork, gives "Clarence St. Cork" as the place of birth.

(3) All data from the Records, by especial search made by kindness of V. Rev. Canon Cotter V.G., and V. Rev. Daniel Coghlan, Professor at Maynooth College.

(4) The Record of Consecration received from the Diocese of Kildare, Dr. Paul Cullen, of the Irish College, Rome, was elected Coadjutor to Bp. England, and the Bulls were made out, giving the Titular See of "Oran," a letter of Bp. England to Rev. Dr. Fitzgerald, at Rome, dated from Cork, September 17, 1834 (see Records, Am. Cath. Hist'l Soc., Phila., Vol. VIII), says: "I leave Dr. Cullen's Bulls with my brother Edward, in Cork. I have heard that he declines. This I cannot believe, after our conversation in Rome, *****."

The N. Y. "Catholic Diary" for 1834, says: "Rev. Dr. McSweeney, now in Paris, was appointed Coadjutor to Bp. England, but refused." Dr. Clancy received his Bulls in November, 1834, and Bp. England desired him to come to Charleston for consecration, and he had made all arrangements to that end, he was greatly mortified that the consecration had taken place in Ireland. ***** He arrived in Charleston, November 16, 1835. Bp. England made him his V. G., and sent him to Hayti on some business. He left Charleston, December 26, 1835, for New York, from there to sail for Port au Prince.

(5) He attended the Baltimore Council with Bp. England, after his transfer, and left for his new labors, via England, leaving Charleston on the Steamer *Columbia*, on Thursday, June 20, 1837, for New York to Liverpool, arrived in Cork, July 24, 1837. October 10, left for Dublin, thence to Liverpool, took passage on the ship *Sandbach* to Georgetown, B. G., taking with him three Priests, Rev. Thomas Morgan, Rev. William Bates, Rev. John Cullen, also three students, Messrs. Daly, McDonnell, and Craig, these he ordained at Georgetown, B. G. This was the first ordination ever performed in that country.

He landed in Georgetown on the second Sunday in Advent, December 10, 1838, and on following Sunday read the Pope's Brief in Latin and English.

(6) *Removal*. Concerning the *deposition* of Dr. Clancy from office in Br. Guana very little has been said. Bp. Butler writes (September 13, 1895), "There is no Record here at Georgetown." Carlow College, Ireland, has no record. Gams, "Series Episcoporum," gives it thus: "1847 (1846 ?)." The facts are discovered in the MSS., copied in Rome, by the Archivist of the American Cath. Hist'l Society, of Phila. (Pa.), and are thus: Dr. Clancy was *desposed*, in 1843, for acts unbecoming his office, and Dr. John Thomas Hynes was named Administrator Ap. awaiting confirmation as Vicar Ap. Dr. Clancy refused to yield, retained possession of the Cathedral Church, until the coming of Dr. Hynes to Br. Guiana, when he finally left that country in July, 1846, going back to Ireland, an excommunicated man, deprived of all titles and faculties.

CONATY, RT. REV. MGR. THOMAS J., D.D.,

(Domestic Prelate, Rector Catholic University.)

Born at Kilnaleck, Co. Caven, Ireland, August 1, 1847; ordained at Montreal, Canada, December 21, 1872, by Bishop Bourget, of that See; received the degree of D.D. in January 1889, at the celebration of the Centenary of Georgetown College; appointed Rector of the Catholic University, Washington, D. C., November 23, 1896; named Rt. Rev. Mgr. and Dom. Prel., June 27, 1897; was invested in the Purple, at the meeting of the Bishops, in October, 1897.

CONCANNEN, RT. REV. RICHARD LUKE, O.P.,

(New York.)

Born, 1740 ? ⁽¹⁾, in Co Roscommon, Ireland ⁽¹⁾; ordained December 22, 1770 ⁽²⁾, at the Lateran Basilica, Rome, Italy, by Mgr. Francesco Matthejo, Patriarch of Alexandria; consecrated, at Rome, in the church of ⁽³⁾ St. Catharine of Sienna, on April 24, 1808, by Cardl. Michele de Pietro, assisted by Mgr. Tommasso Arezzo, Abp. of Seleucia, and Mgr. Benedetto Sinibaldi, Abp. of Ephesus.

Died June 18, 1810, at Naples, Italy, buried in the vault of the church of St. Dominec, at Naples.

(1) The same search has been made for years to secure the *birth data*, in vain; no records seem to exist (see Connolly).

From the Superior of O. P. Convent at Lyons, France, date, March 2, 1896, signed, Fr. Ch. A. Joyan, O.P. Sec'y.: "After a lengthy search we can find nothing regarding the two illustrious Dominicans. As to the Convent of Holy Cross, in Lorraine, of which you speak (see Shea "Ch. in U. S."), where he is said to have studied, we simply know nothing of its existence, it may now be at Liege, at Donai, or at Lille, today: St. Isidore's, Rome, may have something of it, but it exists no more, nor for many years back."

From the O. P. Convent, at Drogheda, Ireland: Both Drs. Concannen and Connolly left Ireland when they were yet very young men. We have nothing of their record. Father White, grand nephew of the former, did not know anything of them. I knew him well, and he could not tell me. Bp. Concannen was born in Co. Roscommon, if as you heard from St. Clements and the Minerva Convents, Rome, they have not anything of them. Both Bishops were at Rome, and had close relations with our Convents there."

Fr.—, O.P., April 20, 1896.

(2) *Ordination*. The data, place and name of ordaining Prelate were lately discovered at Rome, while search was being made, especially for this work, never before being known in this country.

Addenda, 1773, February 16, examined and approved, *in moribus ad confessiones*; 1773, March 17, made master of Novices, at SS. Sixtus and Clementi; 1774, September 26, appointed Sub. Prior; 1781, June 27, appointed Prior and Regent of schools; 1784, June 30, appointed Prior for second time; 1779, January, Pro socius of the Master General, also Theologian of the Cassanatensian Library, Magister General.

Copy—"Liber de Consigli Conventi, S.S. Sixtus e Clementi de

Urbe, ab Anno 1749, ad Anno 1840." Made for this work by Fr. P. Costello, O.P. (Historian of this order.)

(3) Consecration data from Archives, Propa, Fidae, Rome.

Clarke, "Lives Deceased Bishops," gives the name of the Consecrator as Card'l Antonelli (error). Griffin in his "Life of Bp. Egan," has unfortunately copied this error, p. 24.

Copy of notice of Consecration, from Propaganda, Archives, also from "Diario Ordinario," Vol. 1, No. 34, 1808 (Cracas), April 27.

Was appointed Bishop of Kilmacduagh, Ireland, but declined. Gams, in his "Index Episcoporum," gives date of appointment March 21, 1799. Fahy, in "History and Antiquities of Kilmacduagh," says: it was by Brief of November 19, 1798.

The church of St. Catherine was on the Monte Magna-Napole, (Quirinal).

Taken from History and Antiquities of Kilmacduagh and Kelfenora by J. Fahy, D.D., V. G. (p. 378).

"He (Concannen) was appointed to succeed Dr. Dillon by brief dated November 14, 1798; he was consecrated (?) by Dr. Bray, Abp. of Cashel, without, however, taking possession of his See; he resigned it, and his resignation was accepted by the Pope, in an audience at Venice, the 15th day of May, 1800. ***** His portrait is preserved at the Cassanatensian Library at Rome, and bears the inscription: "Ric. Lucae, Concannen, Primus Episcopus, Neoboracen in Feodo. Amer. Provinciis, Obiit Napole, in Campania, 13 Kalend, Sextel MDCCCX.

Brady, Vol. I, p. 231, says: "On the 1st of July 1792, the use of the Pallium being now conceded to Dr. Richard O'Reilly Abp. of Armagh, the Pope gave to the Master of Ceremonies the office of consigning the Pallium for Armagh to Fr. Luke Concannen, a Dominican, and Proctor for the Abp. of Armagh. ***"

Same author, page 342, in the same manner consigns to Dr. Concannen the Pallium for Dr. Troy of Dublin on the same date.

From "Episcopal Succession," Brady, Vol. II, p. 168: "Richard Luke Concannen, O.P., theologian at the Casanatensian Library in Rome, and agent of the Irish Clergy, was appointed Bp. of Kilmacduagh and Kelfenora, by brief of ****, but he declined this promotion, and the Pope in audience at Venice on the 15th of May, 1800, accepted his resignation."

CONNOLLY, RT. REV. JOHN, O.P., D.D.,

(New York.)

Born—, 1750, at Monknewtown, Slane, Co. Meath, Ireland; ordained—(1), [no record to be found], at Rome, Italy, by—(1), [no record to be found]; consecrated—(2), at Rome, in Church of "SS. Domenico and Sisto," on Sunday, November 6, 1814, by Cardl. Brancadora, Bp. of "Fermo," assisted by Mgr. Guerriere, Abp. of "Athens," and Mgr. Marchetti, Bp. of "Ancira;" title received—, Bishop of New York.

Died Sunday, February 5, 1825 (3), at his residence 512 Bowery, New York City.

(1) "Birth data cannot be found, having been sought after for years. The ordination is also lost. Our historian Father Costello has been seeking for years. ****."

"He studied at Monknewtown and Drogheda, then joined the Dominicans, and finished his studies at Liege."

He went to Rome for ordination; no records at Liege.

"He was appointed Sub-Prior at O.P. Convent of S.S. Sixtus and

Clement Rome, July 2, 1778; Regent of the schools, in 1785; appointed Prior, July 8, 1787; reappointed Prior, January 23, 1791; President of the Convent, May 13, 1794.

"The Congregation of the Consistory, after having made diligent and extensive search at my personal request, assure me that the records give no other data than that of his consecration, which I enclose to you."

(2) Copy from "Diario de Roma," printed by *Cracas*, who managed the Propaganda Typography during the occupation of Rome by the forces of Napoleon; copied and sent me by V. Rev. Francis X. Reuss, C. SS. R., Rome. Same also received from the O.P. Convent of SS. Sixtus and Clement, Rome, "Roma, *Diario*, II. Nro. 37, November 9, 1814, f. 2. (nell. Stamperia, Cracas.)

Dominica 6. Novembre, fei consagrato nuello Chiesa dè SS. Domenico e, Sixto l'Ilmo, e Rmo, Monsig, Cunnelly (sic) del ordine de Predicatori, Vescovi, della Nuovo York, negli Stati Uniti d'America, La Sagra cerimonia venne esseguito dell Emo, e Rmo, Card, Brancadoro, Arcivesco de Fermo. I due Vescovi Assistente furono gl'Ilm'moni, e Rmi, Monsig, Guerrieri, Arcivesco de Atene, e Marchetti, Vescovo de Ancira, S.M. la, Regina de Etruria co'susi augusti figli fu presente alle solenne funzione."

(3) Shea says: "Died February 6, but the Bishop had died on the 5th; vide the account by the O.P. Fathers in the "Rosary" of April, 1895.

The Dominican Convent of SS. Domenico and Sixtus, received only novices of noble birth, while that of St. Catherine of Sienna received those of humbler origin.

CONROY, RT. REV. JOHN JOSEPH, D.D.,

(Albany.)

Born June, 1819 ⁽¹⁾, at Clonaslee, Queens Co., Ireland; ordained Saturday, May 21, 1842, at Fordham, N. Y., by Bp. Hughes ⁽²⁾; consecrated at Albany, N. Y., October, 15, 1865; having been appointed by Rome, July 7, 1865. Abp. McClosky of N. Y. was consecrator, assisted by Bp. Timon of Buffalo, and Bp. Loughlin of Brooklyn; Abp. Purcell preached the sermon. He resigned October 16, 1877, and was transferred to the *Titular See* of *Curiam*, on March 22, 1878. He made his residence in New York City, where he died on November 20, 1895, and was buried at Albany. Was administrator *Sede Vacante* of Albany, from May, 1864, to October, 1865.

(1) "I am sure he was born in the month of June, the date I don't know."

(Letter of Mgr. Gleeson, of Diocese of Buffalo, to author.)

(2) Dr. Shea, in Appendix to DeCourcy's "History Ch. in U. S." edition 1856, gives the ordination on "January 29, 1843," Father Peyton, nephew of Bp. Conroy, gives it as above.

CONWELL, RT. REV. HENRY, D.D.,

(Philadelphia.)

Born—1745 ⁽¹⁾, in the Parish Moneymore, Drogheda, Co. Derry, Ireland; ordained either at Paris or Armagh, in 1776 ? ⁽¹⁾; consecrated at London, England, in Bp. Poynter's Private Chapel ⁽²⁾, on the 18th Sunday after Pentacost, being the feast of B.V.M., de Mercede, Sep-

tember 24, 1820, by Rt. Rev. William Poynter, Titular Bp. of *Halia*, i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic, of London, assisted by Rev. James Yorke Bramston (Presbyteri), and Rev. Joseph Carpue (Presbyteri); his title was Bishop of Philadelphia.

Died April 22, 1842 (Friday morning), at Philadelphia. The Requiem Mass was said Tuesday, April 26, 1842, Bp. Kenrick officiating with Rev. Dr. Joseph Sultzbacher as assistant Priest. Canon of St. Joseph's Church, *Vienna*; Rev. C. J. Carter, Deacon; Rev. Daniel X. Devitt, Sub-Deacon; Rev. —Burke and Rev. —Pancoast, Deacons of Honor.

(1) A letter from the Irish College, Paris, states that while it is possible that he, having finished his studies here, was ordained in Paris. There is no record in the College of his birth date or place of ordination; all the records and lists were destroyed during the great *Revolution*.

In a pamphlet dated February 11, 1821, entitled "Pastoral Charges delivered by Bp. Conwell, in the St. Mary's Church, Philadelphia," we read: "I was Vic. General for 24 years, to Abp. of Armagh, and studied under the Primate. ****."

A letter from Cardinal Logue, Abp. of Armagh, says: "I can discover but one thing, that he was born at Moneymore (Parish), Co. Derry. Any records that may have been kept have disappeared during the days of Persecution. I have asked the oldest living Catholic in the diocese, and all that he knows, is, that when he was a boy he heard people speak of Dr. Conwell. ***."

It is certain that his death (in 1842) notices, and any other mention of him at that time give his age as about 96 years, which would make the year of birth within a possibility 1746; The Catholic Directory for 1843, however, gives his age as 94 years.

(2) De Courcey-Shea, "New History, etc," edition 1879, p. 217, says: "Consecrated 1830," an error of 10 years.

For Consecration data I am under great obligation to His Eminence Cardl. Vaughen, who sent me certified copy of the original *rec-r-l*. The original record was made and signed by "Fr. Tulte, Sec'y," in 1820.

The Rev. James Bramston, who was one of the assistants, was consecrated in 1823, as successor to Bp. Poynter.

The date of Bp. Conwell's appointment is by Brief of November 26, 1819.

Rev. Joseph Balfe, DD., whose brother Henry Balfe was assistant to Father Keenan, of Lancaster Pa., related to the author that Father Keenan had said that Bp. Conwell had passed the anniversary of his ordination on board the vessel which brought both of them to the U. S. As they landed at Baltimore, on November 21, 1820, the ordination must have taken place in that month or at earliest, very late in October.

It is given that he was Parish Priest of Dungannon. Investigation at that place brings reply: "The records here are missing; I can give no data of any kind regarding Dr. Conwell."

He was called to Rome and sailed from New York, Monday, July 11, 1828, having appointed Rev. William Mathews as Administrator of his Diocese.

From the (MSS.) testimony of one of his relatives in the "Conwell Will Suit," I have found that the Bishop became *blind* in August 1832, and "That he never said Mass after that."

CORCORAN, RT. REV. JAMES ANDREW, D.D.,
(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of Philadelphia.)

Born March 30, 1820, at Charleston, S. C., where he was baptized by Rev. James Wallace, D.D.; ordained December 21, 1842, at Rome, by Cardinal Fransoni. He was sent to the Propaganda College in company with (the later Bp.) P. N. Lynch, by Bp. England, in December, 1833, and was first native born Carolinian ever ordained in the Church; was secretary to the Baltimore councils of 1855 and 1858; and of the Plenary Council of 1866. In 1871 he came to Philadelphia at the solicitation of Bp. Wood, as professor in the Seminary of Charles Borromeo. He was named Rt. Rev. Mgr. and Domestic Prelate in Rome, December 16, 1883 (no investiture at Rome—see Seton.)

Died July 16, 1889, at St. Charles Seminary, Philadelphia.

CORRIGAN, MT. REV. MICHAEL AUGUSTINE, D.D.,
(New York.)

Born August 13, 1839, at Newark, N. J.; ordained September 19, 1863, at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Patrizzi; consecrated at Newark, May 4, 1873, by Abp. McCloskey, of N. Y., assisted by Bp. William G. McCloskey, of Louisville, Ky., and Bp. John Loughlin, of Brooklyn, being the second Bp. of Newark. On October 1, 1880, he was made Coadjutor to the Abp. of New York, and transferred to the *Titular See* of "Petra;" succeeded as Abp. of N. Y., October 10, 1885; made assistant at the *Pontifical Throne*, April 19, 1887.

(Verified by Abp. Corrigan.)

COSGROVE, RT. REV. HENRY, D.D.,
(Davenport.)

Born December 19, 1834, at Williamsport, Pa.; ordained at Dubuque, Iowa, August 27, 1857, by Bp. Smythe, of Dubuque; consecrated in the Cathedral of Davenport, September 14, 1884, by Abp. Feehan, assisted by Bp. Hennessy, of Dubuque, and Bp. O'Connor, of Omaha; was administrator *Sede Vacante*, of Davenport, from July 4, 1883, till his consecration.

(Furnished by Bp. Cosgrove.)

COTTER, RT. REV. JOSEPH BERNARD, D.D.,
(Winona, Minn.)

Born November 19, 1844, at Liverpool, England; ordained May 23, 1871, at St. Paul, Minn., by Bp. Grace, of St. Paul; consecrated at St. Paul, December 27, 1889, by Abp. Ireland, assisted by Bp. Grace and Bp. Martv.

(Furnished by Bp. Cotter.)

CRETIN, RT. REV. JOSEPH, D.D.,

(St. Paul, Minn.)

Born December 10, 1799 ⁽¹⁾, at Montluel, Dept. l'Ain, in the *old* Diocese of Bellay, France; ordained December 20, 1823, ⁽²⁾ at Paris, France, by Mgr. Alex. R. Devie, Bp. of Bellay, in the private chapel; consecrated at Bellay, January 26, 1851, by Mgr. Devie, assisted by Coadjutor Bp. Claude Chalendon, and Mgr. Stephen Marilley, Bp. of Lausanne and Geneva.

Died at St. Paul, February 22, 1857.

(1) *Birth*.—Dr. Shea, Vol. III, "Cath. Ch. in the U. S.," says: He was born at "Lyons," in "1800." The above was copied from the *records*, and sent to the author by His Grace the Abp. of Lyons, especially for this work.

(2) *Ordination*.—Copied from the *record* of the old Diocese of Bellay, by favor of the Abp. of Lyons, on April 14, 1896.

Received Tonsure, 1820; Minor Orders, November 24, 1821; Sub-Deacon, May 22, 1822; Deacon, May 1, 1823; all at S. Sulpice, Paris. He was then sent to the Diocese of Bellay, for elevation to the priesthood, but was afterward returned to Paris, where Bp. Devie ordained him (Letter from Abp. of Lyons). On July 1, 1831, he was nominated "Cure de Ferney" (Letter of Abp. of Lyons, April, 1896).

CROQUET, RT. REV. MGR. ADRIAN JOSEPH,

(Dom. Prel., Oregon.)

Born April 12, 1818, in Braine, L'allend, Belgium; ordained September 21, 1844, in Mechlin, Belgium, by Cardinal Abp. Engelbert Stercks; named Mgr. Dom. Prel., April 18, 1894, invested by Abp. Gross.

(Verified by Mgr. Croquet.)

CURTIS, RT. REV. ALFRED ALLEN,

(Wilmington, Del.)

Born July 4, 1831, in Somerset County (Eastern Shore), Maryland; ordained December 18, 1874, in the Cathedral, Baltimore, by Abp. Bayley, of Baltimore; consecrated in Cathedral of Baltimore, November 16, 1886, by Abp. Gibbons of Baltimore, assisted by Bp. John Moore, of St. Augustine, Fla., and Bp. John J. Kain, of Wheeling, W. Va.; resigned by letter dated January 23, 1896, which was accepted at Rome, by letter dated June 10, 1896. He received the Titular See of "Echinus" on June 25, 1896, and was continued as Bp. Administrator of Wilmington, until the consecration of his successor. Preached his farewell sermon Sunday, May 2, 1897. He was received into the church by Cardl. John Henry Newman, in England, on April 18, 1872.

Mr. Esling in his paper, in "Records of A. C. H. Soc., Vol. I, p. 142, gives the name (erroneously) "Alfred Ambrose."

(Verified by letter to author, dated October 26, 1896, and signed by Bp. Curtis.)

DAVID, RT. REV. JOHN BAPTIST MARY, D.D.,
(Bardstown, Ky.)

Born January 4, 1761 ⁽¹⁾, at Coueron, near Nantes, France ⁽²⁾; ordained September 24, 1785, at the Minor Seminary S.S. (le Solitude) Issy (suburb of Paris), France ⁽³⁾, by Mgr. Anton Leonor, Leo Leclerc, de Inigne, Abp. of Paris; consecrated at Bardstown, Ky., August 15, 1819 (Bull dated July 4, 1817), Bp. of "*Mauricastro*," i. p. i., and Coadjutor of the Bp. of Bardstown, by Bp. Flaget of Bardstown, assisted by Rev. Charles Neryncks (sac.) and Rev. Thomas Wilson, O.P. (sac); promoted Bp. of Bardstown ⁽⁴⁾ on resignation of Bp. Flaget, but at his own desire he (in 1833) resigned the See into the hands of Dr. Flaget, and taking no Titular See, went into the missions as a priest (see Flaget).

Died at the *Nazereth* Convent, Ky., July 12, 1841.

(1) This date recently discovered in an old letter written by Bp. David, to a sister, in Nazereth (Ky.) Convent, who died years ago. The date was in the Bishop's writing.

(Letter from Superior, Nazereth Convent.)

(2) Near Nantes, France, a small village about five and a half leagues from Nantes, between that place and Angers, or rather, between Nantes and the village of Primboeuf. There are some of the David family there yet, although they cannot give any account of his birth.

(3) He entered the Seminary at Nantes, where he spent four years, he then was preceptor in a family in the city; made Deacon at Nantes; He then determined to enter the Sulpitian order, arrived in Paris in 1783, spent two years at Issy (solitude), from where he was ordained.

(Letter from "*Issy*.")

This is probably correct. It is, however, thought by some authorities in France (per letters) that the Bp. of Angers may have ordained him, as he had received Sub-Deaconate and Deaconate from his hands in 1782 and 1783, but at that time he had not yet entered the order of *Sulpitians*. This, and the fact that the Abp. of Paris ordained for both the SS. houses in Paris, seems to point to the latter as the ordaining Prelate; there are, however, no records at Paris, either at Issy, nor in the Archives in that See.

The "*Via de F(ather)*" Emery, Tom. I, p. 217, gives Issy as the place of ordination.

(4) He had been appointed successor in November, 1832, and his resignation accepted in April, 1833.

It is certain that Dr. David was unprepared for this succession to the See of Bardstown, and he at once gave over the administration into the hands of Bp. Flaget, resigned all episcopal faculties, soliciting Bp. Rosati's aid in having his appeal to Rome heeded. A relief came in acceptance of the resignation, and a new Coadjutor was consecrated to Bp. Flaget, although steps had been taken to have a Coadjutor to Bp. David (see Chabrat).

DE CONCELIO, RT. REV. MGR. JANUARIUS,
(Dom. Prel., Diocese of Newark.)

Born July 6, 1835, at Naples, Italy; ordained May, 1859

(Trinity), at Genoa, Italy, by Abp. Andreas Charvaz, of Genoa; named Mgr. Dom. Prelate, May, 1887.

Died Wednesday, March 23, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock, A. M., at Jersey City, N. J.

(Furnished by Mgr. DeConcelio.)

DEMERS, RT. REV. MODESTE, D.D.,

(Vancouver Is., B. C.)

Born October 11, 1809, at St. Nicholas, Prov. Quebec, Canada; ordained February 7, 1836, at Quebec, by Mgr. Signay, Bp. of that See; consecrated at St. Paul, Oregon, November 30, 1847, by Abp. F. N. Blanchet, assisted by two priests (probably Rev. J. B. Z. Bolduc and Rev. A. Langlois) (1). He was Bp. Administrator of the unprovided Dioceses of *Princess Charlotte* and *New Caledonia*, until they were suppressed.

Died at Victoria, V. Is., July 28, 1871.

(1) Mr. Aug. Rochon and wife, who were present at the consecration, say: "The only Bishop present was Mgr. Blanchet. There were present Fathers Bolduc, A. Langlois, LeClerc and M. Acolti, S. J., and the two former were the most prominent." Mr. Rochon came to the West with Fathers F. N. Blanchet and Demers as their servant, and is yet (1896) living at the old mission at Cowlitz Prairie, Washington. The *ordination* data is from the Archives of Quebec.

DE PAUW, RT. REV. MGR. EDWARD M.,

(Dom. Prel., Diocese of Ogdensburg.)

Born September 20, 1830, at Hoil, Belgium; ordained September 23, 1854, at Foligno, Prov. of Umbria, Italy, by Mgr. Nicholas Bellette, Bp. of Foligno; named Dom. Prel. June 17, 1897, and Prot. Ap. July 8, 1892; invested in Rome, by Mgr. Pericoli, Dean of the "College of Protonotaries;" Mgr. DePauw resides at Rome, Italy.

DE REGGE, RT. REV. MGR. HYPOLYTE, D.D.,

(Dom. Prel. Diocese of Rochester.)

Born December 17, 1830, at Ghent, Belgium; ordained December 17, 1853, at Ghent, Belgium, by Mgr. Louis Joseph Delbecque, Bp. of Ghent; named V. Rev. Mgr. (Dom. Chaplain), June 22, 1885; named Rt. Rev. Mgr. (Dom. Prelate), April, 1894.

(Furnished by Mgr. DeRegge.)

DOANE, RT. REV. MGR. GEORGE HOBART,

(Dom. Prel. Diocese of Newark.)

Born September 5, 1830, at Boston, Mass. Mgr. Doane is a convert, being received into the church in September, 1855; was ordained September 13, 1857, by Bp. Bayley

of Newark, in that city; named Rt. Rev. Mgr. and Dom. Prel. on March 5, 1880, and invested by Bp. Corrigan of Newark; made Protonotary Apostolic July 5, 1889.

(Verified by Mgr. Doane.)

DOMENEC, RT. REV. MICHAEL, D.D., C.M. (Lazarists),
(Pittsburg, Allegheny, Pa.)

Born December 27, 1816, at the Village of *Reus*, Terragona, Spain; ordained June 30, 1839, at the C.M. Seminary (The Barrens), St. Louis, Mo., by Bp. Rosati; consecrated at Pittsburg, Pa., December 9, 1860, by Abp. F. P. Kenrick, of Baltimore, assisted by Bp. Whelan, of Wheeling, and Bp. Young, of Erie; was transferred to the new Diocese of Allegheny, Pa., January 11, 1876; installed in his Cathedral on March 19 of the same year. He resigned July 29, 1877, which was accepted by Rome on August 3; he took no Titular See.

Died January 5, 1878, in the "*House of Beneficence*," at Terragona, Spain.

(Verified by Bp. Ryan, C.M., of Buffalo.)

DONAHUE, RT. REV. PATRICK JOSEPH, D.D.,
(Wheeling, W. Va.)

Born April 15, 1849, at Malvern, Worcestershire, England; ordained December 23, 1885, at St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, by Abp. Gibbons; consecrated at the Cathedral, Baltimore, April 8, 1894, by Cardinal Gibbons, assisted by Bp. Foley, of Detroit, and Bp. Haid, of North Carolina.

DONNELLY, RT. REV. ARTHUR JOSEPH, V.G.,
(Dom. Prel. Diocese of N. Y.)

Born July 19, 1820, at Athy, Co. Kildare, Ireland; ordained October 6, 1852, in New York City, by Abp. Hughes; named *Dom. Prel.*,—, 1889.

Died March 24, 1890, at N. Y. City.

DONOHUE, RT. REV. MGR. PATRICK JOSEPH,
(Dom. Prel. Diocese of Milwaukee.)

Born February 4, 1809, ⁽¹⁾ and baptized February 7, in St. Michael's Church, at Kingstown, Dublin Co., Ireland; ordained September 21, 1839, ⁽²⁾ at Philadelphia, Pa. (St. John's Church), by Bp. F. P. Kenrick; named *Dom.*

Prel. in 1884 [no date available], and invested by Bp. Heiss.

Died July 16, 1889, in St. Mary's Hospital, Milwaukee, Wis.

(1) From Bapt. Records at Kingstown, sent me 1896, "Parents, John and Rose Donohoe; Sponsors, Stephen and Mary Sherman.

(2) Schulte—"History of Sem. St. Charles Bor. Phila.," list of ordinations in the diocese.

DUBOIS, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(New York.)

Born August 24, 1764, at Paris, France; ordained September 22, 1787, at S. Sulpice, Paris, by Abp. Anton Lenor Leo Le Clerc, de Inigne, of Paris. After his ordination he said his first Mass in the Church of S. Sulpice; a little later he was Chaplain at the "Petit Maison," of the Sisters of Charity, in the *Rue de Seve*; left Paris for America in May, 1791; consecrated at Baltimore, October 29, 1826, by Abp. Marechal, assisted by Bp. Conwell, of Philadelphia, and V. Rev. John Power, *admr.* of New York (*Sede Vacante*).

Died in New York, December 25, 1842.

(Data from Paris, and New York) also.
(Vide-Panegyris, delivered by Rev. Wm. Quarter, 1842.)

DUBOURG, RT. REV. LOUIS WILLIAM VALENTINE,

D.D., S.S., (New Orleans.)

Born February 14, 1766, at Cape Francois, San Domingo, W. I. ⁽¹⁾; ordained——, 1788 ⁽²⁾, at the Seminary of S. Sulpice, Paris, France, by Mgr. Anton Leonor, Leo, Le Clerc, de Inigne Abp. of Paris; consecrated at Rome, Italy, in the Church of St. Louis of the French, September 24, 1815, by Card'l Joseph Doria Pamfilo, Bp. of Porto, assisted by Mgr. Gabriel Courtois de Presigney, Bp. of St. Malo, French Ambassador, and Mgr. Francis X. Perriera, Bp. of Terracina; the sermon was preached by Rev. N. B. Anduze; was appointed by Rome, September 15, 1815; resigned the See of N. Orleans, November, 1826 ⁽³⁾; translated to the Bishopric of Montauban, France, on the nomination of the King (Ordonnance Royal), on August 13, 1826 ⁽⁴⁾; decreed at Rome, on October 2, 1826 (Gams); promoted Abp. of Besancon, France, February 15, 1833; took possession of his See, October 10, 1833 ⁽⁵⁾.

Died December 12, 1833, at Besancon ⁽⁶⁾.

(1) "The family came originally from Bordeaux."

(Letter of Bp. of Montauban, 1895.)

(2) This is from the Bp. of Montauban, and contradicts the usual year given, 1791. He came to America in 1794; and became a Sulpitian

in 1795 (Clarke, in "Deceased Bishops"); and Father Widman, S.J., of Louisiana, thinks this is correct, but adds, "but as he (Dubourg) had not spoken of ordination before, this might be misunderstood" (see *Annales*, 1834, p. 99.).

In evidence of the belief in the "1791" date, Father Widman says: "He was then but 25 years of age. It does not appear probable that he should not have been ordained at the eve of the Revolution, since many were ordained with dispensation of age, witness, Cheverus, yet the fact was, that he was but 22 years of age, and the dispensation was given, if the date given me by the Bp. of Montauban be correct. (F. X. R.)

There is no record of the date and month at Paris, or Montauban.

(3) *Annales* 1826, p. 332; also from Roman Record.

(4) What could have determined a man of such energy of character, to abandon—after so many labors—a diocese he loved so much, there must have been grievous reason, since the Holy See accepted his resignation at once. The inducements held out by the Minister of Worship account for it, but an account in a French publication (*Almanach de France*), 1835, p. 512, gives a key to the enigma, viz.: "an intriguing individual, by the name of Inglesi, whom he had ordained, and who since has had a miserable end, had abused his confidence, sent to Europe to collect alms for the Diocese, made away with them."

The discrepancy in dates of resignation of New Orleans, and that of translation to Montauban is accounted for by the fact that the French Minister of Worship had sent the "Royal Ordonnance" to Rome for approval in August, where it was decreed in October; the resignation was accepted at once in November. This proves that some notice had been given of an intention to resign the See of New Orleans.

(5) From the Records of the diocese of Montauban, by kindness of the Bishop of that See.

(6) From Records furnished by the Abp. of Besancon, 1895.

"Dr. Dubourg is often represented as the founder of the "Propagation." This is not exactly true (*Annales* 1836, p. 101), and the *Annales* are generally correct." Rev. C. W., S.J.

He returned to America after consecration, July 1, 1817; arrived at Annapolis, Md., September 4, 1817.

DUBUIS, RT. REV. CLAUDE MARY, C.S.C., D.D.,

(Galveston, Texas.)

Born March 10, 1817, at Coutouvre, Loire, France; ordained June 1, 1844, in the Seminary Chapel at Lyons, France, by Cardinal de Bonald, Abp. of Lyons; consecrated at the Grand Seminary, Lyons, November 23, 1862, by Bp. Odin, of New Orleans, U. S. A.; assisted by Dr. Charbonnel (ex Bishop), of Toronto, Canada, and Bp. Jean Paul, Lyonnet, of Vallence, France. He resigned July 12, 1881, but kept the title of "Bp. of Galveston," retiring to France, after years of hardships in Texas. In 1894, he received the Titular See of "Arcae," and was promoted Abp. He had lived since retirement at Vernaison, in the Diocese of Lyons, and assisted the Abp. of that See in Episcopal work until his death, which took place at the Hospice for the Infirm, at Vernaison, being ill from La Grippe, on Wednesday May 22, 1895. Bp. Dubuis was one of our greatest and most indefatigable

missionary Bishops. He had an iron constitution, and overcame great sufferings and deprivations in the Texan missions.

(Letters of the Abp. of Lyons, who collected the data from Dr. Dubuis, before his death, for this work.)

DUFAL, RT. REV. PETER, C. S. C., D.D.,

(Coadjutor to Bp. Dubuis, of Galveston, Texas.)

Born November 8, 1822 (Friday), at Lamure, Puy de Dome, Diocese of Clairemont, France; ordained September 8, 1852, in the Diocese of Blais, by Bp. Paul Dupasais, of Blais, France; consecrated in the Chapel of the C.S.C., at Le Mans, France, November 25, 1860 (being elected July 3 of that year), by Mgr. Joseph Hypolite Guibert (later Abp. of Paris), assisted by Mgr. Jean Jacques Nanquette, of Le Mans, and Mgr. Celestin de la Hailandiere (retired Bp.), of Vincennes, U. S. A.; Bp. Dufal was then *Vicar Ap. of Eastern Bengal*, with the title "*Bp. of Delcon*," i. p. i. He was translated to the Coadjutorship of Galveston, with the right of succession, on May 14, 1878, retaining his Titular See. On account of illness he resigned April 18 (?), 1880, retired to France in the Convent of the C. S. C., at Nuilly sur Seine," Paris; retained his Titular See, but refused transfer or promotion. He still lives there (1896). Bp. Dufal, in a letter giving above data, says: "I was translated to U. S., by brief dated August, 1878." The former date *May 14*, comes from New Orleans; both are right. The brief was only received in August.

(The above data is from Bp. Dufal, by kindness of Fr. Corby, C. S. C., for this work. F. X. R.)

DUGAST, RT. REV. LOUIS MARCEL,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese Albany.)

Born May 20, 1845, at St. Jacques, Prov. Quebec, Canada; ordained November 22, 1868, at Montreal, Canada, by Mgr. Ignace Bourget, of Montreal; named Dom. Prel. and Protonotary Apostolic, October 4, 1893; invested in the Purple, by Bp. McNierny, November 22, 1893, at Albany.

(Verified by Mgr. Dugast.)

DUGGAN, RT. REV. JAMES, D.D.,

(Chicago, Ill.)

Born May 22, 1825, at Maynooth, Co. Kildare, Ireland; ordained May 29, 1847, in the Cathedral at St. Louis, Mo., by Bp. P. R. Kenrick; consecrated at St. Louis, May 3, 1857 (¹), Bp. of "Gabala," i. p. i.; and Coadjutor to the Abp. of St. Louis, by Abp. P. R. Kenrick, assisted

by Bp. Henni and Bp. O'Regan. In March, 1858, he was sent as Administrator (*Sede Vacante*) to Chicago; and on January 21, 1859, was, by brief from Rome, transferred to Chicago as Bishop of that See. On April 14, 1869, was removed by reason of mental disability; he still lives (1897) at the asylum of the Sisters of Charity, at St. Louis.

(1) Dr. Shea, "Church in the U. S.," Vol. IV, p. 620, gives his title as Bp. of *Antigone*, also in "The Catholic Church in Chicago," p. 198, the same title is given. This error has been widely copied in all our histories, in spite of the fact that Gams' "Index Episcoporum," gives the title as "*Gabala*." His Grace, Abp. Ryan of Philadelphia, in a letter to the author says: "**** I remember very distinctly that his title was '*Bp. of Gabala*,' but as a Coadjutor receives two documents, one *may* have had error. I remember him saying that he considered himself free to adopt either title, but he preferred *Antigone* ****."

The error arose out of the fact that Coadjutor Wood, of Philadelphia, had been consecrated "Bp. of Antigone," a month before.

DUNNE, RT. REV. EDWARD JOSEPH, D.D.,
(Dallas, Texas.)

Born in Ireland, April 23, 1848; ordained June 29, 1871, at St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, by Bp. Becker; consecrated in All Saints' Church, at Chicago, Ill., November 30, 1893, by Abp. Feehan, assisted by Bp. Ryan, of Alton, and Bp. Foley, of Detroit.

(Verified by Bp. Dunne.)

DUPERON, RT. REV. ABBOT THOMAS, O. S. B.,

Born at Siboure, Basses Pyrenees, France, October 29, 1842; ordained May 22, 1869, at Bayonne (Cathedral), by Mgr. Francis Laery; made solemn profession in the Abbey Church of "Pierre qui Vire," July 29, 1877; came to the United States as Prior of "Sacred Heart Abbey" (Indian Territory), December 21, 1884; elected Abbot, August 12, 1896; election approved by the Abbot General, September 14, 1896; blessed Abbot at this Abbey, by Vic. Ap. Theophile Meerschaeft, D.D., November 11, 1896. Died January 7, 1898, at Paris, France.

(Data verified by Abbot Duperon, Sacred Heart Abbey, Oklahoma.)

DURIER, RT. REV. ANTHONY, D.D.,
(Natchitoches, La.)

Born August 8, 1832, at St. Bonnet Desquarts, Loire, France; ordained October 28, 1856, at Cincinnati, O., by Abp. Purcell; consecrated in the Cathedral at New Orleans, La., March 19, 1885, by Abp. Lerey, assisted by Bp. Nerez, and Bp. Gallagher.

(Verified by Bp. Durier.)

DWENGER, RT. REV. JOSEPH, D.D., C.P.P.S.,

(Ft. Wayne, Ind.)

Born June 1, 1837, near Minster, Auglaize Co., Ohio; ordained at the age of 22, by dispensation, on September 4, 1859, at Cincinnati, O., by Abp. Purcell; consecrated in Cincinnati, April 14, 1872, by Abp. Purcell; assisted by Bp. Tœbbe, and Bp. Borgess.

Died January 29, 1893, at Ft. Wayne.

(From Diocesan Records.)

ECCLESTON, MT. REV. SAMUEL, D.D., S.S.,

(Baltimore.)

Born June 27, 1801, a few miles from Chestertown (1), Kent Co., Md.; ordained April 24, 1825, at Baltimore, by Abp. Marechal; consecrated at Baltimore, September 14, 1834, by Abp. Whitfield; assisted by Bp. Fenwick, of Boston, and Bp. F. P. Kenrick, Coadjutor of Philadelphia, his title being Bp. of "Thermias," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to the Abp. of Baltimore. He succeeded to that See, October 19, 1834, and until 1841, was administrator of Richmond.

Died at *Visitation Convent*, Georgetown, D. C., April 22, 1851.

(From Balt. Records.)

(1) "Catholic Expositor" for February, 1843.

ELDER, MT. REV. WILLIAM HENRY, D.D.,

(Cincinnati, O.)

Born March 22, 1819, at Baltimore, Md.; ordained March 29, 1846, at the "Urban" College, Rome, Italy, by Mgr. Ioannes Brunelli, D.D.; consecrated Bp. of Natchez, Miss., on May 3, 1857, at Baltimore, by Abp. F. P. Kenrick; assisted by Bp. McGill, and Coadjutor Bp. Wood; transferred to Cincinnati, January 30, 1880; made Coadjutor, with the title "Bp. of Avara," i. p. i.; succeeded as Abp. of Cincinnati, July 4, 1883.

(From Abp. Elder.)

EGAN, RT. REV. MICHAEL, O.S.F., D.D. (1),

(Philadelphia.) (2)

Born on — 1761 (?) (3), at — Galway (?), Ireland; (4) ordained [no data]; consecrated at Baltimore, Md. (St. Peters Pro Cathedral), on October 28, 1810, by Abp. Carroll, assisted by Bp. (elect) Flaget, and Bp. (elect) Cheverus.

Died July 22, 1814, at St. Joseph's Church, Philadelphia.

(1) Dr. Shea gives the name as *Patrick*, and in another place as *John*; Abp. Wood, in his announcement for the *Requiem*, on the occa-

sion of the removal of the body to the vaults under the Cathedral of Philadelphia, March, 1869, gives the name as *Cornelius*.

(Griffin's "Life of Bp. Egan.")

(2) There is no record of his birth. A letter from the Franciscans at Rome, says: "There is a possibility that he was born on St. Michael's Day (Sept. 29), as it was not unusual to take the name of the Saint in the Calendar, of the day of birth, when entering the Order; the Record of his birth, even if existing, would not be made in the name of *Michael*, as a baptismal name."

"There is no record of his birth."

(Letters of O. S. F., From Rome, Dublin, Ennis, Athlone, Paris, etc.)

(3) A letter from the Franciscans at Athlone, Ireland, contains a doubt of his being born in the Galway district. "I am inclined to doubt that the name came from Galway. It is more of a King's Co. name. I came across an old grave stone in the old churchyard of Lamonaghan, giving the name "Rev. Michael Egan, O. S. F.," who died Parish Priest of the place, about 1726. The family name Egan still exists in the neighborhood * * * * *"

(Rev. "J. B. M.," O. S. F., Sept. 10, 1896.)

Same, dated, Oct. 9, 1896 " * * * * I have five different *seekers* at work on Dr. Egan with no results."

There are no Records of Bp. Egan in the archives here. I will advertise for data in the Irish papers, etc.

(Letter of Bishop of Limerick to Author.)

(4) Letter to Author, dated "St. Isidore's Convent, Rome, May 17, 1895, Father Michael Egan, was our guardian here from May 1787, for about three years, the usual term. He was also made Lector of Theology in June, 1787. There is probability that he had arrived here very shortly before, since no mention of him is made in our miserable remnant of Records. Later, on Sept. 3, 1793, it is recorded that he left for the Mission of Ireland. It is possible that he made his studies at Louvain, or Prague, and came here after ordination. No novices were received in Ireland from 1750, for some years, and I think none were ordained there during those years; try the Provincial at Dublin, also Fr. Luke Carey, at the Convent, Florence, Italy, he has made extensive search * * * * *"

(Fr. Bernard, O. S. F., President.)

Search at Dublin: Result, no record. Search at Florence: "Never could be found, etc."

(F. X. R.)

Dr. Egan sailed from Dublin for America.

It is more than likely that he was ordained in Belgium. No records, however, at Louvain, or Liege. One Franciscan Priest, at Rome, thinks it possible that he came to Rome (May, 1787) direct from his ordination, which might have been about the Christmas preceding, which would make his birth happen about 26 years previous, or 1761.

ENGEL, RT. REV. PETER, D.D., O. S. B., ABBOT;

Born February 2, 1856, at St. Nicholas, Ozaukee Co., Wisconsin; ordained December 15, 1878, at St. Cloud, Minn., by Bp. Seidenbush; professed at "St. John's Abbey," Stearns Co., Minn., July 19, 1875; blessed Abbot by Bp. Marty, at "St. John's Abbey," (of which he had been elected Abbot) on July 11, 1895.

(Data from the Abbey.)

ENGLAND, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,
(Charleston, S. C.)

Born September 23, 1786, at Cork, Ireland; ordained October 11, 1808, at Cork, by Bp. Francis Moylan of that See; consecrated at Cork, September 21, 1820, by Bp. John Murray, of Cork, assisted by Bp. Kieran Moran, of Ossary, and Bp. Patrick Kelly, of Richmond, Va., U. S. A.; appointed *Visitor Apostolic* to Hayti, March 15, 1833. Died April 11, 1842, at Charleston, S. C. The obsequies were held on Thursday morning, April 28, Bp. Hughes being Celebrant; Bp. Kenrick, of Philadelphia, preached. The absolution was given by Bp. Kenrick. Rev. Joseph Sultzbacher, canon of St. Stephen's, Vienna, Austria, V. Rev. P. E. Moriority, O. S. A., and Rev. T. J. Donaghue, were present.

(Catholic Miscellany, of Date.)

EPHRAEM, RT. REV. ABBOT McDONNELL,
(Trappist.)

Born February 12, 1822, at Westport, Co. Mayo, Ireland; ordained December 20, 1851, at Waterford, Ireland, by Bp. Nicholas Foran; entered the order at "Mt. Melleray," Ireland, September 4, 1845; professed November 1, 1846; received the four minor orders from Abbot Bruno, November 13, 1851; received the Habit, October 2, 1845; was sent, Titular prior, to "New Melleray," Iowa; blessed Abbot in Cathedral of Dubuque, by Bp. Clement Smythe, of Dubuque, Iowa, on May 3, 1863. He was baptized "Charles Mathias Ephraem," son of Mathias McDonnell and his wife Anna Lynch. Resigned September 8, 1883, and retired to Abbey, Mt. Melleray, Ireland.

(From the Abbot Ephraem.)

Search has been made for the Earlier Trappist Abbots, but neither Ireland, France, nor the United States have any record.

FARLEY, RT. REV. JOHN M., D.D.,
(Aux. Bp. of New York.)

Born April 20, 1842, at Newtown Hamilton, Armagh Co., Ireland; ordained June 11, 1870, at St. John's Lateran, Rome, by Cardinal Patrizzi, V. G. of Rome; made Private Chamberlain to Leo XIII, January 20, 1884; named Domestic Prelate (Rt. Rev. Mgr.) April 8, 1892; made Protonotary Ap. by Pope Leo XIII, August 1895; appointed Titular Bp. of "Zeugma," and Auxiliary Bp. to the Abp. of N. Y., October 9, 1895; consecrated in the Cathedral of New York, December 21, 1895, by Abp. Corrigan, assisted by Bp. McDonnell, of Brooklyn, and Bp. Gabriel.

(Verified by Bp. Farley.)

FEEHAN, MT. REV. PATRICK AUGUSTINE, D.D.,
(Chicago, Ill.)

Born August 29, 1829, at Spring Hill, Co. Tipperary, Ireland; ordained November 1, 1852, at St. Louis, Mo., by Abp. P. R. Kenrick; consecrated at St. Louis, November 1, 1865, as Bishop of Nashville, Tenn., by Abp. P. R. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. Miege, and Bp. Juncker; Bp. Duggan preached. On September 10, 1880, he was transferred to Chicago, as Archbishop of that See. He reached that city on November 25, 1880.

(Verified from Diocesan Record.)

FENWICK, RT. REV. BENEDICT JOSEPH, S.J., D.D.,
(Boston, Mass.)

Born September 3, 1782, at Leonardtown, St. Mary's Co., Md.; ordained March 12, 1808, at Georgetown, D. C., by Abp. Neale; consecrated at Baltimore, November 1, 1825, by Abp. Marechal, assisted by Bp. England and Bp. Conwell.

Died August 11, 1846, at Boston. (Verified at Boston.)

Entered the S. J. October 10, 1836; was Administrator *Sede Vacante* of N. Y., 1815-1816.

FENWICK, RT. REV. EDWARD DOMINIC, D.D., O.P.,
(Cincinnati, O.)

Born August 19, 1768, in St. Mary's Co., Md.; ordained June, 1793 ⁽¹⁾, at Ghent, Belgium, by Ferdinand Maria Lobkowitz, Bp. of Ghent; consecrated at St. Rose's Chapel, Washington Co., Ky., January 13, 1822, by Bp. Flaget; assisted by Rev. Thomas Wilson, O. P. (Sac.), and Rev. Augustine Hill, O. P. (Sac.)

Died at Wooster, O., September 25, 1832.

(1) Ordained Deacon, March, 1793. The date of receiving the Priesthood is from the Chronicles of the English Province of the O. P.; verified by the Belgian Province of the same Order, and also by the Dominicans in the United States. The Bp. of Ghent writes me (Dec. 17, 1895): "He (Fenwick) received his *dimisoriales*" of the Bp. of Ghent, Feb. 13, 1793." This of course means some document authorizing any Bishop to ordain him. There are no other records at Ghent, nor at Antwerp. Appleton's Cyclopaedia gives Ghent as the place of ordination.

The Bishop of Mechlin writes: "No records here."

Bp. Fenwick entered the College at Bornheim, Belgium, Dec. 24, 1784, and received the *Habit* there, on Sept. 4, 1788.

FINK, RT. REV. LOUIS MARY, D.D., O.S.B.,
(Leavenworth, Kas.)

Born July 12, 1834, at Triftersberg, Parish Rodwig, Diocese of Ratisbon, Bavaria; entered O. S. B., September, 1852; solemn vows at St. Vincent's Abbey, Pa., January 6, 1854; ordained May 28, 1857,

at St. Vincents Abbey, Pa., by Bp. Young, of Erie, Pa.; consecrated at Chicago, Ill., June 11, 1871, by Bp. Foley, of Chicago, assisted by Bp. Miede, and Bp. Melcher, being Titular of "Eucarpia," and Vicar Apostolic of Kansas. On May 22, 1877, he was made Bp. of Leavenworth, Kas., and on May 29, 1891, he was transferred as Bp. of Kansas City, Kan.

(Data supplied by Bp. Fink.)

The *Sede* has been restored to Leavenworth since the above was prepared.—(Author.)

FINTAN, RT. REV. ABBOT (Mundweiler), O. S. B.,
(“St. Meinrad’s Abbey,” Indiana.)

Born July 12, 1835, at Tigurinus, ex-Dietikon, Canton Zurich, Switzerland; professed October 14, 1855, at “Einsiedeln” Monastery (Switzerland); ordained September 11, 1859, at “Einsiedeln,” by Bp. Carl Arnold, of Bale, (Switzerland); elected Abbot February 3, 1880; blessed by Bp. Marty at the Abbey (St. Meinrad’s, Ind.) Died at the Abbey, February 14, 1898.

(Supplied by the Abbot.)

FITZGERALD, RT. REV. EDWARD, D.D.,
(Little Rock, Ark.)

Born October 28, 1833, in Limerick, Ireland; ordained August 22, 1857, at Cincinnati, O., by Abp. Purcell; consecrated at Columbus, O., Feb. 3, 1867, having been elected at Rome, April 24, 1866, and announced to the consistory, June 22, 1866, Abp. Purcell being consecrator, assisted by Bp. Rosencrans, and Bp. Lynch, of Toronto, Canada. The Bulls were dated August 20, 1866. He was administrator (*Sede Vacante*), of the Diocese of Dallas, Texas, from December 1892, until September, 1893.

(Data Supplied by Bp. Fitzgerald.)

FITZMAURICE, RT. REV. JOHN E., D.D.,

Born at Newtown Sanders, Co. Kerry, Ireland, February —, 1839; ordained December 21, 1862, in the Cathedral Chapel, Philadelphia, Pa., by Rt. Rev. James F. Wood, D.D., of Philadelphia; made assistant Priest at St. John’s Church until 1865; from there he was sent as assistant to St. Paul’s Church, where he remained for a few months; when, in the same year (1865), he was sent to organize the new parish St. Agatha’s. In 1886, he was appointed Rector of the Seminary of St. Charles Borromeo, in the Diocese of Philadelphia; appointed

Titular Bishop of "Amisus," and Coadjutor to the Bishop of Erie, Pa.; consecrated February 24, 1898 (Feast of St. Mathias), in the Cathedral at Philadelphia, Pa., by Most Rev. P. J. Ryan, D.D., Archbishop of Philadelphia, assisted by Rt. Rev. Edmund F. Prendergast, auxiliary Bishop of Philadelphia, and Rt. Rev. Ign. F. Horstmann, of Cleveland, O.; sermon by Coadjutor Bishop Hoban, of Scranton, Pa.; said his first Pontifical Mass on Sunday, February 27, at St. Agatha's Church, Philadelphia.

FITZPATRICK, RT. REV. JOHN BERNARD, D.D.,
(Boston, Mass.)

Born November 1, 1812, at Boston, Mass.; ordained June 13, 1840, at Paris, France, by Abp. Dionysius d'Affre, of Paris; consecrated at Georgetown, D. C., March 24, 1844, by Bp. Fenwick, of Boston, assisted by Bp. Whelan, of Va., and Bp. Tyler. His title was Bp. of "Galipolis," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to the Bp. of Boston. On August 11, 1846, he succeeded to the See of Boston.

Died in Boston, on February 13, 1866.

In June, 1854, he was made "*Domestic Prelate, assistant at the Pontifical Throne*," by the Pope, during a visit to Rome; was administrator (*Sede Vacante*) of Hartford, June, 1849, till November, 1850. Appleton's Cyclopaedia, says: "He was ordained at Boston, in 1840, having returned from France, in 1839." This is an error. Father Neagle, Secretary to Abp. Williams, says: "The ordination took place in Paris, in 1840, as given above."

FLAGET, RT. REV. BENEDICT JOSEPH, (S.S.), D.D.,
(Bardstown, Ky.)

Born November 7, 1763, at the village of Coutournat (near Billon), Province of Auvergne, Diocese of Clermont, France; (1) ordained in 1788 at Issy (solitude) Seminary of the S.S. for Novices, probably by Bp. de Bonald (Paris letter to author); appointed (bull dated) April 8, 1808; consecrated at Fells Point, Md., on November 4, 1810, by Abp. Carroll, assisted by Bp. Cheverus, of Boston, and Bp. Egan, of Philadelphia; sermon by Bp. Cheverus. Resigned 1832 (see David), reinstated by reason of resignation of Bp. David in 1833; transferred to Louisville, Ky., (which was made the See early in 1841) January 1, 1842.

Died February 11, 1849, at Louisville, Ky.

(1) "We have no records of ordinations from 1780 to 1790, the books lost. There are no other records to be found here, nor in the Paris archives."

(Letter to author from Issy, signed for Supt. "de Forelli," S.S.)

He was confirmed at Clermont by Bp. de Bonald, 1782. Mgr. de Bonald ordained him Sub-Deacon; he entered Clermont Seminary, Nov.

17, 1783, for two years; came to Issy in 1785 after receiving Tonsure and Minor Orders and remained for three years, and was ordained.

(Records of Issy.)

Authorities consulted: "Via de M. Emery," Paris, 1861; Life of † Flaget," Paris, 1851; Letters from S.S. Seminary, Montreal, Canada; "Life of † Flaget," Spalding; Letters from S.S. Seminary, Baltimore; Webb "Catholicity in Kentucky."

FLASCH, RT. REV. KILLIAN CASPAR, D.D.,

(La Crosse, Wis.)

Born July 16, 1831, at Retzstadt, Bavaria; ordained September 16, 1859, at La Crosse, by Bp. Henni, of Milwaukee; consecrated at St. Francis Seminary, near Milwaukee, August 24, 1881, by Abp. Heiss, assisted by Bp. Krautbauer, and Bp. Seidenbush.

Died August 3, 1891, at La Crosse.

FOLEY, RT. REV. JOHN SAMUEL, D.D.,

(Detroit, Mich.)

Born November 5, 1833, at Baltimore, Md.; ordained December 20, 1856, at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Patrizzi; consecrated at Baltimore by Cardinal Gibbons, assisted by Bp. Loughlin, and Bp. Wadhams, on November 4, 1888.

(Data supplied by Bp. Foley.)

FOLEY, RT. REV. THOMAS, D.D.,

(Chicago, Ill.)

Born March 6, 1822, at Baltimore, Md.; ordained August 17, 1846, at Baltimore, by Abp. Eccleston; consecrated at Baltimore, February 27, 1870, by Bp. McCloskey, of Louisville, assisted by Bp. Rosencrans, and Bp. Becker, being Coadjutor to Bp. Duggan, and Titular Bp. of "Pergamos." On account of illness of Bp. Duggan, he was made Administrator of the Diocese.

Died at Chicago, Feb. 19, 1879.

(From "Cath. Church in Chicago.")

FOREST, RT. REV. JOHN ANTHONY, D.D.,

(San Antonio, Texas.)

Born December 25, 1838, at St. Martin, St. Germain, France; ordained May 3, 1863, at New Orleans, La., by Bp. C. M. Dubuis, of Galveston; consecrated at San Antonio, October 28, 1895, by Abp. Janssens, of N. O., assisted by Bp. Fitzgerald, and Bp. Gallagher.

(Data from Bishop Forest.)

FROWINAS, RT. REV. ABBOT (CONRAD), O.S.B.,
(“New Engelberg Abbey,” Mo.)

Born November 2, 1833, at Auw., in the Canton Aargau, Switzerland; professed at “Engelberg Abbey,” Switzerland, August 15, 1853; ordained September 14, 1856, at “Einsiedeln” (Switz.), by Bp. Peter Mirer, of St. Gall (Switz.); blessed Abbot by Bp. Hogan, of Kansas City, Mo., June 29, 1881.

(Verified by the Abbot Frowinas.)

GABRIELS, RT. REV. HENRY, D.D.,
(Ogdensburg, N. Y.)

Born October 6, 1838, at Wannegem-Lede, East Flanders, Belgium; ordained September 21, 1861, at Ghent, Belgium, by Bp. Louis Joseph, Delebecque, of Ghent; consecrated at Albany, N. Y., May 5, 1892, by Abp. Corrigan, of N. Y., assisted by Bp. McNierny, of Albany, and Bp. Ludden, of Syracuse.

(Data supplied by Bp. Gabriels.)

GALBERRY, RT. REV. THOMAS, O.S.A., D.D.,
(Hartford, Conn.)

Born 1833 ⁽¹⁾, at Naas, Co. Kildare, Ireland; ordained December 20, 1856, at Philadelphia, Pa., by Bp. Neumann; consecrated at Hartford, on March 19, 1876 (3d Sunday of Lent); having been elected February 12, 1875; consecrator Abp. Williams, of Boston, assisted by Bp. P. T. O'Reilly, of Springfield, Mass., and Bp. Wadhams, of Ogdensburg.

Died October 10, 1878, Thursday, at 6:45, P. M., at the *Grand Hotel*, New York.

(Data supplied by Dr. Middleton, O.S.A.)

(1) Letters from “Naas,” state that there is no record dating back till 1833. The records at Hartford do not contain date of birth, and the careful historian, V. Rev. Dr. Middleton, O.S.A., assures me that the date is “unknown.”

GALLAGHER, RT. REV. NICHOLAS ALOYSIUS, D.D.,
(Galveston, Texas.)

Born February 19, 1846, at Temperanceville, Belmont Co., Ohio; ordained December 25, 1868, in Holy Cross Church, Columbus, O., by Bp. Rosencrans; consecrated at the Cathedral, Galveston, by Bp. Fitzgerald, assisted by Vic. Ap. Manucy, and Bp. Nerez; received the title Bp. of “Canopus,” i. p. i., and administrator, of Galveston, in the absence of Bp. Dubuis. In 1894 he succeeded to the title Bp. of Galveston; was Administrator (*Sede Vacante*) of Columbus, O., on death of Bp. Rosencrans.

(Data supplied by Bp. Gallagher.)

GARCIADIEGO, Y MORENO, FRANCIS, O.S.F., D.D. (¹),
(Bp. of the Californias.)

Born September 17, 1785 (²), in the city of Lagos, State of Jalisco, in Mexico. That being the feast of the Stigmata of St. Francis, he was baptized by the name of Francis. The parents were Senor Don Francisco Garciadiego, and Senora Doña Mariana Moreno, an aunt to the "Heroe of Y'ndependencia," and sister to Don Salvador (advocado), Don Mariano (Medico Doc), and Don Jose Maria (Cura). In the year 1797 he began his studies in the Seminary "Tridentino," of Guadalajara, where he remained until 1800, under the celebrated R. P. Don Jose de Jesus Huerta. In 1803, he entered (as a novice) the "Apostolic College of Guadalupe" in Zacatecas, and in 1804 was professed; studied Theology three years previously, and in 1804 passed an examination with the highest honors. Was ordained priest, November 13, 1808, by the Bp. of Linares, Don Primo Feliciano Marin de Porras, who resided at Monterey. The ordination took place in the chapel at Saltillo, Diocese of Linares. He was then named professor of Theology and Philosophy, and later was sent in the missions of Jalisco and Zacatecas, and was with Rev. Fra. Mariano Velasco, when he was put in charge of the new college (apostolic) of Zapopan, near the city of Guadalajara.

For his eminent virtues and pious disposition, he was made master of novices, Lector in Philosophy, "Vicario Discreto," and commissary of the missions. In 1830, as commissary to the Indian Missions in Alta California, he, accompanied by ten religious, made a visit and named the mission of Santa Barbara as a permanent headquarters of the Indian missions in California. He remained in California until 1834, when he returned to Zacatecas, with the object of endeavoring to secure a Bishopric for the Californias. He solicited the aid of the Mexican Director of Ecclesiastical affairs, representing that it was indispensable for the good of the souls of these Neophytes (savages). By means of the coöperation of one of the most distinguished heads of the government, on September 19, 1836, it was so appointed. On June 22, 1839, the Chapter of the Arch Diocese presented names for the Bishopric, in the following order: R. P. Guzman, Miss. Y. Ap. College, Guadalupe; R. P. Garciadiego, Miss. Ap. Coll. Guadalupe; and R. P. Soriano, Religioso Mercedario. The president of Mexico, General Bustamente, particularly recommended Fra. Garciadiego, and he was preconized at Rome, April 27, 1840, Bishop of the two Californias,

and the new diocese was placed under the invocation of St. Francis of Asisi, and suffragan to the Arch Diocese of Mexico. In August, 1840, Dr. Garciadiego went to Zacatecas and was there consecrated on October 4, 1840, in the chapel of the Franciscan College of "Our Lady of Guadalupe" (Ap. Coll). The Abp. of Mexico, Don Manuel Y'Garduño, not having received his pallium, commissioned the Rt. Rev. Abbot Campos to consecrate him. The assistants were Sr. Dn. Fr. Jose Maria de Jesus Belaunzaran, Bp. of Linares, and Sr. Dr. Don Joachin Madrid, Bp. of Tenagre (i part. infid). There were present Sr. Don Angelo Mariano Morales, Bp. of Oaxaca, and Sr. Don Irizarria, Abp. Elect of Cesarea (i, part. infid). After arranging his business, which took him until November 16, 1841, he sailed in an English brigantine provided by Sn. Don. Eustaquen Barron, bound from San Blas, for the port of San Diego, where he arrived on December 11, 1841, accompanied by two religious of the College of Guadalupe. On December 12, 1841, the feast of the apparition of our Lady of Guadalupe, he celebrated his first mass at San Diego. In January, 1842, he went from San Diego to Santa Barbara where he made his definite residence, and in March, 1843, began his episcopal visit over the Californias, which lasted over five months; he returned to Santa Barbara, before undertaking a visit to "Baja California;" here he fell ill and lay for many months, and died on the night of April 30, 1846, at the Franciscan Mission of Santa Barbara, and here he was buried. He appointed as Administrator "*Sede Vacante*," R. P. Fr. Jose Maria Jesus Gonzales, the Chancellor of the Diocese.

(1) The name is always spelled "Garcia Diego," which is not correct, and the same archiepiscopal authority who furnishes this sketch is the authority on the spelling.

(2) From the Baptismal Record: The sketch of the life of Bp. Garciadiego was compiled by the family and sent me from the See of Guadalajara, over the signature of the Mt. Rev. Archbishop, also verified by the authorities at Zacatecas. It was published six months later, by permission, in Spanish, in "El Tiempo," Mexico City, September 27, 1896.

The MSS. sheets of the first pastoral letter, issued by Bp. Garciadiego, also the MS. official announcement of his death, in the autograph of Dr. Gonzales, Administrator *Sede Vacante* and signed by all the Fathers at the various missions in California, are both in the Francis X. Reuss Collection of MSS. now in the Library of the American Catholic Historical Society, Philadelphia.

GARTLAND, RT. REV. FRANCIS XAVIER, D.D.,
(Savannah, Ga.)

Born January 19, 1805, at Dublin (No. 2 Bolton St.), Ireland; ordained August 5, 1832, at Philadelphia, by

Bp. Conwell; consecrated at Philadelphia, November 10, 1850, by Abp. Eccleston, of Baltimore, assisted by Bp. Kenrick, of Philadelphia, and Bp. O'Connor, of Pittsburgh.

Died of yellow fever, at the house of Mr. Michael Prendergast, Savannah, Ga., September 20, 1854.

(Data from Gartland Family, "Mrs. Prendergast,"
(Diocesan Archives, Savannah.)

Bp. Gartland received Tonsure from Bishop F. P. Kenrick; Sub-Deacon, September 26, 1830; Deacon, October 2, 1831.

GIBBONS, HIS EMINENCE, JAMES, CARDINAL, D.D.,

(Abp. of Baltimore, Md., Second Cardinal in U.S.)

Born July 13, 1834, at Baltimore, Md.; ordained June 30, 1861, at Baltimore, by Abp. F. P. Kenrick; consecrated at Baltimore, Aug. 16, 1868, by Abp. Spalding, of Baltimore, assisted by Bp. Lynch, of Charleston, and Bp. Domenec, of Pittsburg, receiving the title, "Bp. of Adrymatum," i. p. i., and Vicar Ap. of North Carolina; translated Bp. of Richmond, Va., July 30, 1872; installed as Bp. of Richmond, October 20, 1872, by Abp. Bayley. Bp. Gibbons preaching; appointed Coadjutor to the Abp. of Baltimore, and Titular Bp. of "Jinopolis," July 29, 1877; succeeded as Abp. of Balt, October 2, 1877; created Cardinal June 7, 1886.

(All data supplied by H. E. Cardinal Gibbons.)

Was Administrator *Sede Vacante*, of North Carolina, until election of Bp. Northrop.

Dr. Gibbons was the recipient of only one of the Sacraments outside his native city. He was confirmed in Ireland, by Abp. McHale.

(O'Connell's "History of the Church in Carolina and Georgia," P. 398.)

GILMOUR, RT. REV. RICHARD, D.D.,

(Cleveland, O.)

Born September 28, 1824, at Glasgow, Scotland; parents, John Gilmour and Mary Callender; ordained August 30, 1852, at Cincinnati, O., by Abp. Purcell; consecrated at Cincinnati, April 14, 1872, by Abp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. Borgess, of Detroit, and Bp. Feehan, of Nashville. Died at St. Augustine, Florida, April 13, 1891.

(Supplied by Rev. George Houck, author of "The Church in North Ohio.")

Bp. Gilmour was a convert, baptized by Rev. Patrick Rafferty, in Philadelphia, August 15, 1842.

GLEESON, RT. REV. MGR. WILLIAM, V.G.,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of Buffalo.)

Born in Parish of Youghall, near Nenagh, Diocese of Killaloe, Co. Tipperary, Ireland, in 1828. There are no records of Baptism at the Church which date back to that year ('). He was baptized by Rev. James Ryan,

afterwards Bp. of Killaloe. He came to America in 1850; was ordained July 16, 1854, at Rochester, N. Y., by Bp. Timon; was named Rt. Rev. Mgr. and Dom. Prel., May 15, 1888; invested by Bp. S. V. Ryan, in the Cathedral at Buffalo, N. Y.

Died at Buffalo, December, 2, 1895.

(1) A letter from Bally-William Nenagh, says: "Our existing Baptism Record dates back only to October 21, 1828; the previous Register was burned in the fire which destroyed the old Church. (Signed by the Pastor.)

GLENNON, RT. REV. JOHN JOSEPH, D.D.,

(Bp. of "Pinara," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to Kansas City, Mo.)

Born June 14, 1862, in the Parish of Clonard, Co. Meath, Ireland; ordained December 20, 1884, in the Cathedral, at Kansas City, Mo., by Bp. J. J. Hogan, of that Diocese; consecrated at Kansas City, Mo., June 29, 1896, by Abp. Kain, of St. Louis, assisted by Bp. Fink, and Bp. M. F. Burke.

(Data furnished by Bp. Glennon.)

GLORIEUX, RT. REV. ALPHONSE JOSEPH, D.D.,

(Boise City, Idaho.)

Born February 1, 1844, at Bottignies, West Flanders, Belgium; ordained August 17, 1867, at Mechlin, Belgium, by Card'l Engelbert Stercks, Abp. of Mechlin; consecrated at Baltimore, Md., on April 19, 1885, by Cardinal Gibbons, assisted by Abp. Gross, of Oregon, and Bp. Maes, of Covington; made Vic. Ap. of Idaho, with the Titular See of "Appolonia," i. p. i.; transferred Bp. of Boise City, on August 26, 1893.

(Data supplied by Bp. Glorieux.)

GOESBRIAND, RT. REV. LOUIS DE, D.D.,

(Burlington, Vt.)

Born August 4, 1816, at St. Urbain, Finistere, Diocese of Quimper, France; ordained July 30, 1840, at St. Louis, Mo., by Bp. Rosati; consecrated in (old) St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York City, by the Apostolic Nuncio, Cajetan Bedeni, Abp. of "Thebes," i. p. i., assisted by Bp. Rappe, and Bp. Fitzpatrick, on October 30, 1853.

(From Bp. Goesbriand.)

GRACE, RT. REV. THOMAS, D.D.,

(Sacramento, Cal.)

Born August 2, 1841, at Wexford, Co. Wexford, Ireland; ordained June 24, 1867, at All Hallows College, Dublin,

Ireland, by Rt. Rev. David Moriarity, Bp. of Kerry; consecrated in the Cathedral of Sacramento, Cal., June 16, 1896, by Abp. Riordon, assisted by Bp. Scanlon, of Utah, and Coadjutor Bp. Montgomery, of Los Angeles.

(Furnished by Bp. Grace.)

GRACE, MT. REV. THOMAS LANGDON, O. P., D.D.,
(St. Paul, Minn.)

Born Nov. 16, 1814, at Charleston, S. C.; entered the O. S. D. 1830; professed June 12, 1831, at St. Rose' Abbey, Ky.; ⁽¹⁾ ordained December 21, 1839, from the *Minerva* (O. P.) College, Rome, Italy, by the Cardinal Vicar, Constantine Patrizzi; consecrated Bp. of St. Paul on July 24, 1859, at St. Louis, Mo., by Abp. Kenrick, of St. Louis, assisted by Bp. Miles, of Nashville, and Bp. Duggan, of Chicago. Resigned July 31, 1884; made Titular Bp. of "*Menith*," Promoted Titular Abp. of "*Siunia*," Sept. 24, 1889.

Died at St. Joseph's Hospital, St. Paul, February 22, 1897.

(All dates furnished by Abp. Grace himself.)

(1) The Catholic papers at the time of his death, in their sketches of his life, gave, Dec. 31, as date of his ordination, which is an error. The above data are all from the Abp. himself and verified from his certificates.

(F. X. R.)

GRÆSSEL, RT. REV. DOMINIC LAWRENCE, D.D.,
(First Coadjutor (elect) in U. S. (Baltimore).)

Born August 18, 1753, at Ruhmansfelden, Diocese of Ratisbon, Bavaria; ordained — (?). On September 24, 1793, petition made to Rome for a Coadjutor to Bp. Carroll, of Baltimore. On December 8, 1793, the petition of Dr. Carroll granted, and brief forwarded, naming Father Græssel as Coadjutor, with Titular See of "*Samosata*," date of brief giving said title December —, 1793; signed by Cardinal Braschi, Secretary of Papal Briefs.

Died at Philadelphia, Pa., of yellow fever, before Consecration, October, 1793.

(Verified from original Records at Rome, by M. I. J. Griffin.)

GRIFFIN, RT. REV. MGR. THOMAS.

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of Springfield, Mass.)

Born January 7, 1836, at Cork, Ireland; ordained June 30, 1867, at Baltimore, Md., by Bp. R. V. Whelan named Rt. Rev. Mgr. and Dom. Prel. July 30, 1889; invested October 2, 1889, at St. Johns Church, Worcester, Mass., by Bp. O'Reilly, of Springfield, Mass.

(Data from Mgr. Griffin.)

GROSS, MT. REV. WILLIAM HICKLEY, C.S.S.R., D.D.,
(Oregon City, Oregon.)

Born June 12, 1837, at Baltimore, Md.; ordained March 21, 1863, at Annapolis, Md., by Abp. Kenrick, of Baltimore; consecrated at Baltimore, April 27, 1873, by Abp. Bayley, assisted by Bp. Gibbons, of Richmond, and Bp. Becker, of Wilmington; sermon by Rev. William Wayrich, C. SS.R. He was the fifth Bishop of Savannah, Ga.; was promoted "Archbishop," and transferred to Oregon City, February 1, 1885.

(All data from Abp. Gross.)

HAID, RT. REV. LEO (baptized Michael), O.S.B., D.D.,
(Abbot O.S.B., and Vicar Apostolic, in North Carolina.)

Born July 15, 1849, in Unity Township, Westmoreland Co., Pa.; ordained December 21, 1872, at "St. Vincent's Abbey," Pa., by Bp. Domenec, of Pittsburg; said his first Mass at St. Mary's Church, Allegheny City, Pa.; professed October 5, 1872, at "St. Vincent's Abbey"; elected Abbot of "St. Mary Help" Abbey, N. C., on July 14, 1885; election confirmed by Rome on August 30, 1885; blessed Abbot, November 26, 1885, by Bp. Northrop, of Charleston, in that city; appointed Vic. Ap. of N. C. by brief dated December 7, 1887; consecrated at Baltimore, July 1, 1888, by Cardinal Gibbons, assisted by Bp. Kain, of Wheeling, and Bp. Becker, his title being Bp. of "Messene," i. p. i.; elected Præses of the American Congregation, O. S. B., August 19, 1890; re-elected 1893.

(Data from Arch. Abbey, O.S.B.)

HAILANDIERE, RT. REV. CELESTINE RENE LAWRENCE GUYMEYER, DE LA, D.D.,
(Bp. of Vincennes, Ind.)

Born May 2, 1798, Friandin, near Cambourg (Brittany), France; ordained May 28, 1825, at Paris, France, by Abp. Hyacinth Ludovicus, Quelin, of Paris; consecrated in Sacred Heart Chapel, Paris, August 18, 1839, by Mgr. Forbin Jansen, Bp. of Nancy, France, assisted by Mgr. Blauquart de Balleul, Bp. of Versailles, and Mgr. Jean Louis Simon, LeMercier, Bp. of Beauvais, France. He had been appointed Coadjutor to Bp. Brute with the title, "Bp. of Axierne," i. p. i.; but Dr. Brute died before the consecration. The date of that appointment was May 17, 1839. He resigned July 16, 1847, taking no Titular See. He retired to his birth place, where he died May 1, 1882.

[Verified at Vincennes.]

HARKINS, RT. REV. MATHEW, D.D.,

(Bp. of Providence, R. I.)

Born November 17, 1845, at Boston, Mass.; ordained May 22, 1869, at church of S. Sulpice, Paris, France, by Bp. Meret; consecrated at Providence, April 14, 1887, by Abp. Williams, assisted by Bp. O'Reilly, of Springfield, Mass., and Bp. McMahon.

(Verified by Bp. Harkins.)

HEALLY, RT. REV. JAMES AUGUSTINE, D.D.,

(Bp. of Portland, Me.)

Born April 6, 1830, (near) Macon, Ga.; ordained June 10, 1854, at Paris, France, by Abp. Maria Dom. Aug. Sibour, of Paris; consecrated at Portland Me., June 2, 1875, by Abp. Williams, of Boston, assisted by Bp. McNierney, of Albany, and Bp. O'Reilly, of Springfield, Mass.

HEISS, MT. REV. MICHAEL, D.D.,

(Abp. of Milwaukee, Wis.)

Born April 12, 1818, at Pfahldorf, Bavaria; ordained October 18, 1840, at Nymphenburg, Bavaria, by Mgr. Charles Aug. Reisach (later Cardinal); consecrated at Milwaukee, September 6, 1868, by Bp. Henni, of that See, assisted by Bp. Lefevre, and Bp. Grace, of St. Paul, his title being Bp. of La Crosse, Wis. On March 14, 1880, he was transferred to Milwaukee as Coadjutor, with the title "Bp. of Adrianople," i. p. i.; succeeded to the See of Milwaukee, as Abp., September 7, 1881. Received his Pallium April 23, 1882.

Died at La Crosse, Wis., March 26, 1890.

(Ms. from Abp. Heiss to Author, 1887. Verified by Abp. Katzer.)

HENDRIKEN, RT. REV. THOMAS FRANCIS, D.D.,

(Bp. of Providence, R. I.)

Born May 5, 1827⁽¹⁾, at Kilkenny, Ireland; ⁽²⁾ ordained April 25, 1853, at All Hallows College, Dublin, Ireland, by Bp. Bernard O'Beilly, of Hartford, Conn. (visiting in Ireland); consecrated at Providence, R. I., April 28, 1872, by Abp. McCloskey, of New York, assisted by Bp. Williams, of Boston, and Bp. Bacon, of Portland, Me.

Died at Providence, July 11, 1886.

(1) Son of John Hendriken and Anna Maher.

(2) Sadlier's "Directory" for 1887 (obituary notice), gives the year of ordination 1852, an error. Some other authority gives "April 29" as the date. The above date is from the Irish Catholic Record of Events, Dublin, 1853. A letter from Dublin says: "He was still very young, a

student at Maynooth, where he met Bp. O'Reilly, being his guide through the buildings; he had intended joining the S. J. and going into the Japan Missions. Bp. O'Reilly induced him to change his mind and enter the American Missions * * *; he was ordained on Easter Monday."

HENNESSY, MT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(Dubuque, Iowa.)

Born August 20, 1825, in Co. Limerick, Ireland; ordained November —, 1850, in St. Louis, Mo., by Abp. P. R. Kenrick; consecrated in Dubuque, September 30, 1866, by Abp. P. R. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. Henni, and Bp. Duggan, of Chicago. His title being Bp. of Dubuque. By brief of April, 1893, he was promoted to the dignity of Archbishop, and his See was made an Archdiocese.

(Data from Dubuque, Iowa.)

HENNESSY, RT. REV. JOHN JOSEPH, D.D.,

(Wichita, Kas.)

Born July 19, 1847, at Ladysbridge, Cork, Ireland; ordained November 23, 1869, in St. John's Church, St. Louis, Mo., by Rt. Rev. P. J. Machebeuf, of Denver, Col. (1); consecrated in St. John's Church, St. Louis, on November 30, 1888, by Abp. P. R. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. Hennessy, of Dubuque, and Bp. Fink, of Leavenworth; appointed Administrator of Concordia, Kas., April 3, 1891.

(1) Bp. Machebeuf was the only Prelate in the United States at the time.

(Letter of Bp. Hennessy.)

HENNI, MT. REV. JOHN MARTIN, D.D.,

(Milwaukee, Wis.)

Born June 15, 1805, at Misanenga, Switzerland; made Sub-Deacon at Bardstown, Ky., November 23, 1826; Deacon, same place, December 14, 1826, both by Bp. Flaget; Priest, February 2, 1829, at Cincinnati, O., by Bp. Edward Fenwick; appointed *Bp. of Milwaukee*, November 28, 1843; consecrated in St. Peter's Cathedral, Cincinnati, on the Feast of St. Joseph, March 19, 1844 (1), by Bp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. O'Connor, of Pittsburgh, and Bp. Miles, of Nashville; Bp. O'Connor, preached the sermon; promoted Abp. of Milwaukee, June 3, 1875.

Died at Milwaukee, September 7, 1881.

(Verified at Milwaukee.)

(1) Shea, "Cath. Ch. in U. S.," makes the error of giving the year of consecration as 1841.

HESLIN, RT. REV. THOMAS, D.D.,

(Natchez, Miss.)

Born April, 1847, in the Parish of Kilboe, Co. Longford, Ireland; ordained September 18, 1869, at Mobile, Ala., by Bp. Quinlan; consecrated in the Cathedral of New Orleans, La., June 18, 1889, by Abp. Janssens, of New Orleans, assisted by Bp. Fitzgerald and Bp. Durier.

(Data supplied by Bp. Heslin.)

HEVEY, RT. REV. MGR. PETER,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese Manchester, N. H.)

Born October 31, 1831, at St. Barnabe, near St. Hyacinthe, Prov. Quebec, Canada; ordained July 12, 1857, at the Seminary of St. Hyacinthe, Canada, by Rt. Rev. Alexander Tache, of St. Boniface, Canada; named *Dom. Prel.* at Rome, June 20, 1890; invested by Mgr. Eloisino Pericoli, "Decanus" of the College of Prot. Ap. at Rome, 28, 1890; represented by H. D. Francelli.

(MS. Data by Mgr. Hevey.)

HILLARY, RT. REV. ABBOT, O. S. B. (ANTHONY) PFRAENGLE,

Born May 8, 1843, at Butler, Pa.; solemn vows (O. S. B.) May 21, 1866; ordained May 26, 1866, by Bp. Domenec, of Pittsburg, at St. Vincent's Abbey, Pa.; blessed Abbot, February 17, 1887, at St. Vincents Abbey, Pa., by Bp. Phelan, of Pittsburg; title, Abbot of St. Mary's Abbey, Newark, N. J.; elected Abbot November 16, 1886; election confirmed by Rome, December 17, 1886.

(Data from the Abbot Hillary.)

HOBAN, RT. REV. MICHAEL JOHN, D.D.,

(Bp. of "Alalia," i. p. i. and Coadjutor to Scranton.)

Born June 6, 1853, at Waterloo, N. J.; ordained May 22, 1880, in the Church of St. John, Lateran, Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Monaco la Valletta; was consecrated March 22, 1896, at Scranton, Pa., by Card'l Satoli, Apostolic Delegate, assisted by Bp. McGovern of Harrisburg, and Bp. Beaven.

(Data from Bp. Hoban.)

HOGAN, RT. REV. JOHN JOSEPH, D.D.,

(Kansas City, Mo.)

Born May 10, 1829, at Bruff, Co. Limerick, Ireland; ordained Easter Saturday, April 10, 1852, at St. Louis, Mo., by Abp. P. R. Kenrick; consecrated at St. Louis, by Abp. P. R. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. Miede, and Bp. Feehan, of Nashville, on September 13, 1868, when his

title was *Bp. of St. Joseph, Mo.* On September 10, 1880, he was transferred to Kansas City, Mo., as Bishop, and was appointed Administrator of *St. Joseph.* June 19, 1893, he was relieved of the Diocese of *St. Joseph*, a Bishop being placed there.

HORSTMANN, RT. REV. IGNATIUS FREDERICK,
D.D.,

(Cleveland, O.)

Born December 16, 1840, at Philadelphia, Pa.; ordained June 10, 1865, at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Patrizzi; consecrated at Philadelphia (Cathedral), February 25, 1892, by Abp. Elder, of Cincinnati, assisted by Bp. Chatard, of Vincennes, and Bp. O'Hara, of Scranton.

(Data by Bp. Horstmann.)

HUGHES, MT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(New York City.)

Born June 24, 1797, at Analoghan, Co. Tyrone, Ireland; ordained October 15, 1826, at Philadelphia, Pa., by Bp. Conwell; consecrated in New York, on January 7, 1838; Titular Bp. of "Basileopolis," and Coadjutor to New York by Bp. Dubois, of New York, assisted by Bp. Fenwick, of Boston, and Bp. Kenrick, of Philadelphia; made Administrator of the Diocese of New York (the Decree reached him from Rome in August, 1839); succeeded as Bp. of New York on death of Bp. Dubois, December 15, 1842; promoted Abp. October 3, 1850; received his Pallium from the hands of the Pope, at Rome, April 3, 1851.

Died at New York, January 3, 1864.

The "U. S. Cath. Mag," Murphy, Balt., gives date of birth as June 20, 1798.

Parents: Patrick Hughes and Margaret McKenna.

IGNATIUS, RT. REV. ABBOT, O. S. B. (CONRAD),

(Abbot of Subiaco Abbey, Spielerville, Ark.)

Born November 15, 1846, at Auw, Canton Aargau, Switzerland; ordained September 17, 1871, at Einsiedeln, Canton Schwytz, by Bp. Caspar Willi, of Chur, Canton Graubunden, Switzerland; blessed Abbot at St. Joseph, Mo., May 22, 1892, by Bp. Hogan, of Kansas City, Mo., assisted by Abbot Fintan and Abbot Frowinas.

(Data from Abbot Ignatius.)

INNOCENT, RT. REV. ABBOT, O. S. B. (WOLF),

(Abbot, St. Benedicts Abbey, Atchison, Kas.)

Born April 13, 1843, at Schmidheim-Rhine, Prussia; professed at St. Vincent's Abbey, Pa., July 11, 1864;

ordained at St. Vincent's Abbey, May 26, 1866, by Bp. Domenec, of Pittsburg; elected Abbot September 29, 1876; election confirmed at Rome, October 20, 1876; blessed Abbot, March 21, 1877, by Bp. Fink; entered the Order at the early age of eleven years, on September 8, 1854.

(Data from St. Vincent's Abbey.)

IRELAND, MT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(St. Paul, Minn.)

Born September 11, 1838, at Burnchurch, Co. Kilkenny, Ireland; ordained December 21, 1861, by Bp. T. L. Grace, at St. Paul, Minn.; he was appointed Titular Bp. of "Maronea," and Coadjutor to the Diocese of St. Paul, and consecrated in that city on December 21, 1875, by Bp. Thomas L. Grace, assisted by Bp. Seidenbush and Bishop Heiss, of La Crosse; the sermon was preached by Rev. T. O'Gorman, of Rochester, Minn.; succeeded as Bishop of St. Paul, July 31, 1884, and on May 15, 1888, was promoted Archbishop, and his See raised to a Metropolitan See. Dr. Ireland had, in February, 1875, been appointed Vicar Apostolic of Nebraska, but it was canceled by desire of Bp. Grace.

(Data from Bp. Grace of St. Paul.)

JANSSENS, MT. REV. FRANCIS, D.D.,

(Archbishop of New Orleans.)

Born October 17, 1843, at Tilburg, North Brabant, Holland; ordained December 22, 1862 ⁽¹⁾, at Ghent, Belgium, by Mgr. Henry Francis, Bracq, Bishop of that See; consecrated Bishop of Natchez, Miss., on May 1, 1881, at Richmond, Va., by Abp. Gibbons, assisted by Bp. Becker, and Bp. Kain; sermon by Abp. Elder; translated to New Orleans, August 7, 1888. He died Thursday, June 10, 1897, at sea, on board the steamer "Creole," of heart failure; his last words were: "I am ready, thanks be to God." He had been ill, and was going to his home in Holland, via New York, for a visit; had been but a day or two at sea. The Chancellor, Father Thebault, was with him. The body was returned to New Orleans on the returning steamer "Hudson."

(1) The N. O. Papers at time of his death give December 23, as date of ordination. Abp. Janssens gave me the date in his own autograph as December 22.

(All data before death from Abp. Janssens.)

JANSSEN, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(Bp. of Belleville, Ill.)

Born March 3, 1835, at Keppeln, Diocese of Münster, Rhine, Prussia; ordained November 19, 1858, at Alton,

Ill., by Bp. Juncker; appointed February 28, 1888, and consecrated on April 25, of that year, at Belleville, by Abp. Feehan, assisted by Bp. Hogan, of Kansas City, Mo., and Bp. Fink. He had been administrator of the diocese of Alton after the death of Bp. Baltes.

(Data from Bp. Janssen.)

JEAN, RT. REV. IGNATIUS, O.S.B., D.D.,

(Prefect Ap. Indian Territory.)

Born March 30, 1846, at Vieville-en-Hay, France; took his solemn vows at the Monastery (O.S.B.) of "Pierre qui Vire," France, June 19, 1865; sent to Rome to complete studies at the Roman College (Gregorian University), in October, 1869; ordained October 16, 1870, in Rome, by Cardinal Patrizzi; remained in Rome until he passed examination "*Maxima cum Lauda*," for his Doctorate in Sacred Theology, in July, 1874; created Prefect Apostolic by decree dated Rome, July, 25, 1886; resided at the *Sacred Heart* Abbey, Indian Territory; resigned in April, 1890, when the Territory was made a Vicariate Ap., and retired to the Monastery "*Del Sacro Speco*, ad Subiaco," in Italy, the Cradle of the Benedictine Order.

(Data furnished from Pref. Ap. Jean, through the Sac. Heart Abbey, 1891.)

JESSING, RT. REV. MGR. JOSEPH JOHN,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of Columbus, O.)

Born November 17, 1836, at Münster, Westphalia, Germany; ordained July 16, 1870, in St. Patrick's Church, Columbus, Ohio, by Bishop Rosencrans; named Rt. Rev. Mgr. Domestic Prelate June 3, 1896; invested by Bishop Watterson, at Columbus, O., June 29, 1896.

JOOS, RT. REV. MGR. EDWARD, D.D.,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of Detroit.)

Born April 9, 1825, at Zomergem, Flanders-Belgium; ordained June 17, 1848, at Ghent, Belgium, by Mgr. Louis Joseph, Delabecque, Bp. of Ghent, named *Rt. Rev. Mgr.* and *Dom. Prel.* January 12, 1889, and invested in Detroit April 23, 1889, by Bp. Borgess; was Administrator of Detroit, after resignation of Bp. Borgess, till November, 1888.

(Data from Mgr. Joos.)

JUNCKER, RT. REV. HENRY DAMIAN, D.D.,

(Bp. of Alton, Ill.)

Born August 22, 1809, at Fenetrange, Lorraine, France; ordained March 16, 1834, at Cincinnati, Ohio, by Bp.

Purcell, being his first ordination; consecrated at Cincinnati, April 26, 1857, by Abp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. Henni, and Bp. Young.

Died at Alton, October 2, 1868.

Sub-Deacon, Sunday, February 23, 1833; Deacon, March 9, 1833.
All at the hands of Bp. Purcell. (From Diocesan Records.)

JÜNGER, RT. REV. AEGIDEUS,

(of Nesqually.)

Born April 6, 1833, at Burtscheid bei Aix le Chapelle, Germany, of Johann and Josephine (Horst) Jünger. The Father was born in 1804, at Wilre, Holland. The mother was born in 1808, at Burtscheid. Up to the ninth year the Bishop attended the elementary school at his birth place, his teacher being John William H. Kosten. In 1842, he made his first communion, after which he went to Kaiser-Karl-Gymnasium, at Aachen. About this time the father died, and he was called away from school to carry on his father's business, to support the mother and seven small children. The business was the hauling of coal from the mines, which were about two-hours-distant from Burtscheid. This he did for about seven years. In 1845, he was confirmed by Bp. Baudri, of *Koln*; in 1858, he was sent to Louvain, in the American College; in 1861, he received Minor Orders; 1862, at Easter, Sub-Deacon; and at Pentacost was made Deacon; and was ordained (Priest), June 27, 1862, at Mechlin, Belgium, by Card'l Engelbert Stercks; celebrated his first Mass at his birth-place, under his old pastor, "*Pastor Satorius*;" he had had six weeks vacation to his home, and went on an eight-day *foot* (zu fusz) pilgrimage to the Shrine "*Maria-Kevelær*." On September 12, 1862, he left Antwerp, on the steamer "*Westerland*," for America; was for two years at Walla Walla, as Missionary. Bp. A. M. A. Blanchet called him to Vancouver, as Secretary. He was consecrated at Vancouver, Washington, on October 28, 1879 (Feast S.S. Simon and Jude), by Abp. F. N. Blanchet, assisted by Bp. A. M. A. Blanchet, V. Rev. J. F. Fierens, V. G. In 1884, he visited his birth-place; his mother had died in the mean time (of Cholera), October 2, 1866; he remained for eight months; visited Paris, Vienna, Brussels, Antwerp, Lüttich, Louvain, Mechlin, Rome, Mailand, Venice, Köln, Dusseldorf, Bonn, Crefeld, Coblenz, Munich, Stuttgart, and other smaller places; studied systems in Seminaries, etc. Dr. Jünger spoke, besides the German language, English, Hollandish, Spanish, French and Greek. During his stay abroad he resided, when at his birth-place, in

the old homestead of his father. He was received at the Railroad Depot by over 5000 people who had known him, and many had been school boys with him, but the lapse of twenty-three years had made many changes. In the evening there was a grand "Serenade" given him by the Singing Societies, several coming from a distance, a torch light procession and illumination. The *Burgemeister* offered him the hospitalities of his mansion during his stay, but he declined in favor of his old homestead. He prepared the children for first communion, confirmed at "Morisnet," Belgium. In Bleyerhaide, Holland, he ordained several students. On August 18, 1885, he again left Antwerp, in the same steamer "Westerland," in return to America; and on December 26, 1895, he died at Vancouver; was buried in the Cathedral Vault, on December 31.

(MSS. furnished the author from the Jünger family.)
Germany, January 6, 1897. Signed, Andreas Jünger.

KAIN, MT. REV. JOHN JOSEPH, D.D.,

(Archbishop of St. Louis, Mo.)

Born May 31, 1841, at Martinsburg, W. Va.; ordained July 2, 1866, at Baltimore, by Abp. Spalding; consecrated at Wheeling, W. Va., as Bishop of that See, May 23, 1875, by Abp. Bayley, assisted by Bp. Gibbons and Bp. Becker; translated to St. Louis, Mo., as Coadjutor, with the title "Archbishop of 'Oxyrynchia,'" i. p. i.; date of appointment, May 21, 1893; date of translation, June 15, 1893; made administrator of the Diocese, December 14, 1893; created Archbishop of St. Louis, May 21, 1895; proclaimed in the Cathedral on Pentacost, June 2, 1895.

(Data from St. Louis.)

KATZER, MT. REV. FREDERIC XAVIER, D.D.,

(Milwaukee, Wis.)

Born February 7, 1844, at Ebensee, Diocese of Linz, (ober) Austria; ordained December 2, 1866, at St. Francis, Wis., by Bp. Henni; consecrated Bishop of Green Bay, Wis., in that city, September 21, 1886, by Abp. Heiss, assisted by Bp. Vertin, and Bp. Ireland; promoted Archbishop and transferred to the See of Milwaukee, January 30, 1891; Administrator *Sede Vacante*, of Green Bay, from December 17, 1885, till his consecration.

(Verified from La Crosse.)

KEANE, MT. REV. JOHN JOSEPH, D.D.,

(Richmond, Va.)

Born September 12, 1839, at Ballyshannon, Co. Donegal, Ireland; ordained July 2, 1866, at St. Mary's Seminary

(SS), Baltimore, by Abp. Spalding; consecrated at Baltimore, August 25, 1878, by Abp. Gibbons, assisted by Bp. Kain, of Wheeling, and Bp. Foley, of Chicago, was also Administrator of North Carolina until relieved by Bp. Northrop; resigned August, 1888; received the Titular See of "Ajasso," and on September 7, 1888; was made Rector of the Catholic University of America (Washington, D. C.); resigned the office of Rector, by letter of September 29, 1896, and went to Rome: was made, January 9, 1897, Titular Abp. of "Damascus," assistant at the Pontifical Throne, Canon of The Lateran; Consultor to the Propaganda, with residence at the Canadian College, Rome, Italy.

(All Data from Abp. Keane, by Letter from Rome to Author.)

KELLY, RT. REV. PATRICK, D.D. ⁽¹⁾,

(Richmond, Va.)

Born April 16, 1779, in Mandlin street, Kilkenny, Ireland; ordained in Lisbon, Portugal ⁽²⁾ Tonsure and four Minor Orders, on June 6 (Pentecost Sunday), 1802; Sub-Deacon on June 12, 1802, (Sab. Temporis Trinit); Deacon, June 20, 1802 (Dom. infr. Oct. S. S. Corpus Christi); Priest, July 18, 1802 (VI Post Pentacost); all these at the hands of the Most Eminent and Rev. Lord, Don Fr. Antonio, Bishop of Maranhao, Brazil (visiting); consecrated on the feast of St. Bartholomew, August 24, 1820 (having been appointed on July 11 of that year), in Kilkenny, by Dr. Troy, of Dublin, assisted by Bp. Murray, Coadjutor to Dr. Troy, and Bp. Marum of Ossary. He left Kilkenny for his diocese, October 9, 1820, and entered Norfolk, January 19, 1821. He was transferred to Waterford and Lismore, Ireland, as Bishop of those united Sees, January 28, 1822; the decree approved by the Pope, February 3; the brief dated February 22, 1822; left Richmond June 14, 1822, arrived in Ireland July 15, 1822.

Died suddenly at Waterford, Ireland, October 8, 1829; buried under the Cathedral ⁽³⁾.

(1) The name is written "O'Kelly" on the Records at Lisbon. The birthdate is from Records at Kilkenny.

(2) Ordination data from Records in the office of the Chancellor of the Patriarch of Lisbon. Signed and dated "June 14, 1897." Secured after long search, especially for this work, by Dr. Brownrigg, Bishop of Ossary.

(3) Consecration and death data from the original records at Dublin and Waterford.

He said Mass and published his Bull of Appointment from his Cathedral Altar on Sunday, January 21, 1821.

He was the son of Mathew and Anastatia (Nolan) Kelly; studied his classics in the "Old Mandlin Street Academy." In 1797 he went to

St. Patrick's College, Lisbon, where at the end of the course in theology, he was made Professor of Philosophy. Two years later he returned to his native diocese (Ossary) and for seven years was curate of Johnstown, and the Rower; was Professor of Theology in the Mandlin Street College in September, 1811; and in St. Johns College at Birchfield, in September, 1814; president of the latter from 1816 to 1820, and here received the appointment as Bishop of Richmond.

(Letter from Kilkenny.)

KENRICK, MT. REV. FRANCIS PATRICK, D.D.,

(Baltimore, Md.)

Born December 3, 1796 ⁽¹⁾, at Dublin, Ireland; ordained April 7, 1821 ⁽²⁾, at Rome, Italy, in the Private Chapel of Cardinal Vicar, by Mgr. Candidi Mariae Frattini, Abp. of "Philipen;" consecrated ⁽³⁾ at Bardstown, Ky., June 6, 1830, by Bp. Flaget, assisted by Bp. Conwell, and Coadjutor Bp. David; was made Coadjutor to Philadelphia, and Titular Bp. of "Arath," Administrator of the Diocese; succeeded to the Diocese July 22, 1842; transferred to Baltimore as Abp., August 3, 1851; invested in the Pallium Sunday, November 16, 1851, at the hands of Bp. Timon; sermon by Rev. E. J. Sourin, of Philadelphia.

Died suddenly July 6, 1863, at Baltimore.

(1) Source, Mt. Rev. P. R. Kenrick (Letters to Author).

(2) Ordination not found in any Archives in the U. S.; was sought in the Propaganda Archives by Abp. Keane, especially for this work. (Letter of Abp. K.)

(3) Consecration from contemporary papers, Bp. England preached. Bp. Fenwick, of Cincinnati, was present; Chaplains to Bp. Flaget, were Rev. E. Durbin, Rev. W. Byrne; Bp. Conwell's Chaplain, Rev. J. Elliott; Bp. David's Chaplain, Rev. Charles Cessell; Bp. Elect Kenrick's Chaplains, Rev. G. A. M. Elder, Rev. Edward McMahon; Bp. England's Chaplain, Rev. Robert A. Abell; Bp. Fenwick's Chaplain, Rev. G. I. Chabrat. Present, Rev. F. Reese, and Rev. Nicholas O'Donnell, of Philadelphia.

Bp. Flaget received the bulls of appointment on May 1, 1830, at nine o'clock in the morning. The next day—the Feast of the Holy Cross—he delivered them to Dr. Kenrick, saying, "Behold the certificate of the Cross you will have to carry."

KENRICK, MT. REV. PETER RICHARD, D.D.,

(Archbishop of St. Louis, Mo.)

Born August 17, 1806, at Number 16 Chancery Lane, Dublin, Ireland; son of Thomas and Jane Kenrick, and brother of the illustrious Archbishop of Baltimore; ordained March 6, 1832, at Dublin, by Abp. Daniel Murray, of Dublin; consecrated at Philadelphia, Pa., November 30, 1841, by Bp. Rosati, assisted by Coadjutor F. P. Kenrick, and Bp. Lefevre. His title was "Bishop of Drasa," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to the Bishop of St. Louis, Mo.; succeeded to the See of St. Louis, Septem-

ber 25, 1843; promoted Archbishop July 20, 1847. His Pallium was brought to America by Bp. O'Connor of Pittsburgh, in August, 1848; was conferred on him at Philadelphia, September 3, 1848, by Rt. Rev. F. P. Kenrick; retired May 21, 1895; and proclaimed Titular Archbishop of "Marcianopolis."

Died Wednesday, March 4, 1896, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., at the Archiepiscopal residence, St. Louis, Mo.

(All data before death from Abp. Kenrick himself.)

KRAUTBAUER, RT. REV. FRANCIS XAVIER, D.D.,
(Green Bay, Wis.)

Born January 12, 1824, at Bruck, in (Palatinate) Bavaria; ordained July 16, 1850, at Ratisbon, by Bp. Valentine Riedl; consecrated at Milwaukee, Wis., June 25, 1875, by Abp. Henni, assisted by Bp. Heiss, of La Crosse, and Bp. T. L. Grace, of St. Paul; sermon by Bp. McQuaid; the appointment was made in February, 1875.

Died December 17, 1885, at Green Bay.

LAMY, RT. REV. JOHN BAPTIST,
(Archbishop of Santa Fe, N. M.)

Born October 11, 1814, at Lempdes, France, ordained December 22, 1838, at Clermond-Ferrand, France, by Mgr. Louis Charles Feron, Bishop of Clermont; consecrated at Cincinnati, Ohio, November 24, 1850, by Bp. M. J. Spalding, of Louisville, Ky., assisted by Bp. St. Palais, and Bp. Rappe; sermon by Bp. Purcell. His title was "Bishop of 'Agathon,'" i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of New Mexico; made Bp. of Santa Fe, July 29, 1853; promoted Archbishop of Santa Fe upon the erection of Metropolitan See in 1875; received his Pallium June 16, 1875; resigned July 18, 1885; and made Titular Bishop of "Cyzicus."

Died at Santa Fe, February 13, 1888.

The name was formerly spelled "L'Amy." Parents' names Jean Lamy and Marie Dié.

LAVIALLE, RT. REV. PIERRE JOSEPH, D.D.,
(Bishop of Louisville, Ky.)

Born July 15, 1819 (1), at Lavialle, a town two kilometres from Chambres, and four from Mauriac, Province of Auvergne, France; son of Gillaume and Marie Jeanne (Faure) Lavialle; ordained February 2, 1844, at Louisville, Ky., by Bp. Chabrat; consecrated in the same city,

September 24, 1865, by Abp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. McGill and Bp. St. Palais; Abp. Spalding preached.

(1) "Vie Mgr. Pierre Joseph Lavialle, ev. de Louisville, Par L'abbé J. B. Serres, chanoine Honoraire, de St. Flour, et de Tulle."—Pub. Aurillac France, 1891.

LEANDER, RT. REV. ARCH ABBOT, O. S. B. (OTTO CHARLES SCHNERR),

(St. Vincent's Arch Abbey, Pa.)

Born September 17, 1836, at Gommersdorf, Baden; entered the O. S. B. August 17, 1850; professed January 6, 1857; ordained September 20, 1859, at Covington, Ky., by Bp. Carrell; elected Abbot July 15, 1892; election confirmed at Rome, August 8, 1892; with him the Abbey was made an Archabbey for all time; blessed Abbot at St. Vincent's, October 5, 1892, by Bp. Phelan at Pittsburgh.

(Data from St. Vincent's Abbey.)

LEFEVRE, RT. REV. PETER PAUL, D.D.,

(Bishop of Detroit, Mich.)

Born April 30, 1804, at Roulers, near Ghent, Belgium; came to the United States in 1828; ordained July 17, 1831, at St. Louis, Mo., by Bp. Rosati; consecrated at Philadelphia, Pa., November 21, 1841, by Bp. F. P. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. England, and Bp. Hughes. His title was "Bishop of Zela," i. p. i., and Coadjutor and Administrator of Detroit.

Died March 4, 1869. (1)

(All data from Detroit.)

(1) Hoffmann's Directory erroneously gives 1861 as the date of his death.

LEMMENS, RT. REV. JOHN NICHOLAS, D.D.,

(Bishop of Vancouver Island.)

Born June 3, 1850, at Schimmert, Holland; ordained May 15, 1875, at Malines, Belgium, by Mgr. Charles Anthonies, auxiliary Bishop of Mechlin; consecrated at Victoria, Vancouver Island, August 5, 1888, by Abp. Gross, assisted by Bp. Junger and Bp. Glorieux.

(Data furnished by Bp. Lemmens.)

LENIHAN, RT. REV. THOMAS MATHIAS, D.D., (1)

(Cheyenne, Wy.)

Born August 12, 1845, in Ireland, N. J. D.; ordained in the Cathedral at Dubuque, Iowa, by Bp. Hennessy of that See; consecrated in St. Raphael's Cathedral, Dubuque, February 24, 1897, (having been proclaimed in

Consistory at Rome, in November, 1896, Bishop of Cheyenne); consecrator ⁽²⁾ Abp. Hennessey, of Dubuque, assistants, Bp. Cosgrove and Bp. Bonacum.

(1) He took the name Mathias in confirmation, in honor of Bishop Mathias Loras, who confirmed him.

(2) This was the first consecration performed by Dr. Hennessey since his elevation to the title of Archbishop.

LERAY, MT. REV. FRANCIS XAVIER, D.D.,

(of New Orleans, La.)

Born April 20, 1825, at Chateau Giron, Rennes, Dept. Vallaince, France; came to America in 1843; ordained March 19, 1852, at Natchez, Miss., by Bp. Chanche; consecrated Bishop of Natchitoches, La., on April 22, 1877, at Rennes, France, by Cardinal St. Marc, Archbishop of Rennes, assisted by Bp. Hailandiere, late Bishop of Vincennes, U. S., and Mgr. Nouvel, Bishop of Quimper, France; transferred to New Orleans as Coadjutor, with the title "Bishop of Janopolis," and Administrator of Natchitoches, October 23, 1879; succeeded to New Orleans, October 27, 1883; received Pallium from Cardinal Gibbons, January, 1884.

Died at his birth place, on September 23, 1887.

(Diocese of N. O.)

LOOTENS, RT. REV. LOUIS,

Born March 17, 1827, at Bruges, Belgium; ordained June 14, 1851, at Paris, France, by Bp. Demers; ⁽¹⁾ consecrated at San Francisco, Cal., on August 9, 1868, by Abp. Alemany, assisted by Bp. Amat, of Los Angeles, and Bp. O'Connell, of Grass Valley; title Bishop of "Castabala," i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of Idaho; resigned July 16, 1876; retains same Titular See.

(Verified by himself.)

(1) Visiting in France.

LORAS, RT. REV. PIERRE JEAN MATHIAS, D.D.,

(First Bp. Dubuque.)

Born August 30, 1792, at Lyons, France ⁽¹⁾; ordained November 12, 1815, in the Chapel of the "Grande Seminaire de Grenoble," by Mgr. Claude Simon, Bishop of Grenoble, in the absence of the Archbishop of Lyons ⁽²⁾; consecrated ⁽³⁾ at Mobile, Ala., December 10, 1837, by Bp. Portier, assisted by Bp. Blanc. Bp. England was to have been one of the assistants, but at the last moment was detained in his own Diocese. The Rev. P. Mauverny, of Spring Hill College, was Notary. Bp. Portier preached. He was installed in his Cathedral April 21,

1839, after his return from Europe, where he went for aid, Bp. Rosati officiating, and Rev. Samuel Mazzuchelli preaching.

He died at Dubuque, Ia., February 20, 1858.

(1) From Baptismal Records.

(2) From Records at Lyons.

(3) A biographical sketch in "Freeman's Journal," of April 17, 1858, says Bp. Blanc was Consecrator and Portier assistant,—*an error*.

LOUGHLIN, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(Brooklyn, N. Y.)

Born December 20, 1817, at Drumboneff, Co. Down, Ireland; ordained October 18, 1840, at New York City, by Bp. Hughes; consecrated at New York City, October 30, 1853, by Abp. Cajetan Bedini, Ap. Nuncio (visiting the United States), assisted by Bp. Rappe and Bp. Fitzpatrick.

Died at Brooklyn, December 29, 1891.

(From Bp. Loughlin.)

LUDDEN, RT. REV. PATRICK ANTHONY, D.D.,

(Syracuse, N. Y.)

Born February 4, 1836, near Castlebar, Co. Mayo, Ireland; ordained May 21, 1864, in the Grand Seminary, Montreal, Canada, by Mgr. Ignatius Bourget; consecrated at Syracuse, May 1, 1887, by Abp. Corrigan, assisted by Bp. Loughlin and Bp. McNiery.

(Data from Bp. Ludden.)

LUERS, RT. REV. JOHN HENRY, D.D.,

(Bishop of Ft. Wayne, Ind.)

Born September 29, 1819, at Luetten, a village near Vechta, Grand Duchy of Oldenburg, Germany; ordained November 11, 1846, at Cincinnati, O., by Bp. Purcell; consecrated in the same city, by Abp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. St. Palais and Bp. Carrell, on January 10, 1858.

Died suddenly June 29, 1871,⁽¹⁾ at Cleveland, O.

(1) The Bishop had just finished conferring Holy Orders, and was leaving the church when he fell, dying almost immediately. The cause was apoplexy.

Shea's (Decourcy) "New History of the Church," gives the date of death June 28.

He arrived in the United States June 7, 1833; made Sub-Deacon, November 1, 1846; Deacon, November 4, 1846, both from the hands of Bp. Purcell.

LYNCH, RT. REV. PATRICK NEESON, D.D.,

(Charleston, S. C.)

Born March 10, 1817, at Clones, Ireland (came to America when about one year old), was sent to the

Propaganda College, Rome, at the age of 17 years, by Bp. England, and ordained there on Passion Sunday, April 5, 1840, by the Cardinal Prefect; consecrated at Charleston, S. C., March 14, 1858, by Abp. F. P. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. Portier and Bp. Barry. Bp. McGill preached the sermon.

Died at Charleston, February 26, 1882.

(Data from Sisters of Mercy, S. C.)

MACHEBEUF, RT. REV. JOSEPH PROJECTUS, D.D.,
(First Vicar Ap. and Bp. in Colorado.)

Born August 11, 1812, at Riom, Preu-de-Dome, Diocese of Clermont, France; ordained December 21, 1836, at Clermont, France, by Mgr. Louis Charles Feron; consecrated Vicar Apostolic of Colorado and Utah; Titular Bishop of "Epiphania" August 16, 1868, at Cincinnati, Ohio, by Abp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. Rappe and Bp. Goesbriand; promoted Bishop of Denver on the erection of that See in 1887.

Died at Denver, Colorado, July 10, 1889.

(Data supplied by Bp. Matz.)

MAES, RT. REV. CAMILLUS PAUL, D.D.,
(Bishop of Covington, Ky.)

Born March 13, 1846, at Courtrai, West Flanders, Belgium; ordained December 19, 1868, in the cathedral at Mechlin, Belgium, by Mgr. Anthonis, Auxiliary Bishop of Mechlin; consecrated in the cathedral at Covington, Ky., January 25, 1885, by Abp. Elder, assisted by Bp. McCloskey, of Louisville, Ky., and Bp. Borgess, of Detroit.

[Data supplied by Bp. Maes.]

MANOGUE, RT. REV. PATRICK, D.D.,
(Bishop of Sacramento, Cal.)

Born March 15, 1831, at Desart, Co. Kilkenny, Ireland; ordained December 25, 1861, at the Seminary of St. Sulpice, Paris, France, by Cardinal Francis Nicholas Magdalen Morlot; consecrated at San Francisco, Cal., January 16, 1881, by Abp. Alemany, assisted by Bp. Mora and Bp. O'Connell, having been elected Titular Bishop of "Ceremos," and Coadjutor to the Bishop of Grass Valley, Cal., on November 28, 1880; sermon preached by Father Burchard, S.J.; succeeded to the Diocese of Grass Valley, February 29, 1884 (date of receiving the Brief); transferred to Sacramento (Grass Valley suppressed), May 28, 1886.

Died in that City, on Ash Wednesday, February 27, 1895.

(All data from Bp. Manogue.)

MANUCY, RT. REV. DOMENIC,

(Vicar-Apostolic, Brownsville, Tex.)

Born December 20, 1823, ⁽¹⁾ at St. Augustine, Florida; ordained August 15, 1850 ⁽²⁾, at Mobile, Ala., by Bp. Portier; consecrated in Cathedral, Mobile, Ala., on December 8, 1874, by Abp. Perche, of N. O., assisted by Bp. Elder, of Natchez, and Bp. Dubuis, of Galveston; title received "Dulma," i. p. i., and Vicar-Apostolic of Brownsville, Texas; took possession February 11, 1875; transferred Bishop of Mobile, Ala., and Administrator of Brownsville, in March, 1884; resigned—1884 ⁽³⁾, and was reappointed to Brownsville, with Titular See of "Maron," i. p. i.

Died December 4, 1885, at Mobile, Ala.

(1) From Baptismal record, by kindness of Bp. Moore, Manucy and Pellicer. It is certain that they were ordained Priests before the consecration of the Cathedral of Mobile (December 8, 1850), as they were there as Priests. Dr. Manucy and Dr. Pellicer were cousins. The latter was the elder; both studied at Spring Hill College and New Orleans during and before 1847 (the year the S.J. took charge of the College), and both were ordained at the same time.

(These data and memoranda from Admr. Jaillitt, of Brownsville, Vice-Genl. Rouxel, of New Orleans, Rev. C. W. —, S. J., of Louisiana.)

(3) Father Jaillet, Vicar-General and Administrator, says: "He was returned as Titular Bishop of "Maron," but his illness prevented him ever reaching Brownsville."

MARECHAL, MT. REV. AMBROSE, D.D.,

(Archbishop of Baltimore.)

Born August 28, 1764 ⁽¹⁾, at Ingres, Loire, Diocese of Orleans, France; ordained Pentacost time, 1792 ⁽²⁾, at Bordeaux, France, by Abp. Jerome Maria, C. de Cice, of Bordeaux; consecrated at Baltimore, Md., ⁽³⁾ December 14, 1817, by Bp. Cheverus, of Boston, assisted by Bp. Connolly of New York, and V. Rev. Louis de Barth, Administrator of Philadelphia, Pa.; sermon by Rev. Michael Hurley, O. S. A., D.D., of Philadelphia.

Died at Baltimore, January 29, 1828.

He was the first Domestic Prelate (Rt. Rev.) in the United States, appointed at Rome, while visiting, in 1822, by Pope Pius VII.

(1) Translated copy of baptismal Record: "Ambroise, son of Louis Marechal and Anna Adam; sponsors, Mathurin Adam and Marie Barnard; born August 28, 1764, and baptized the same day. Copy signe, LeRoy, pretre.

(2) Ordination data received from Bordeaux, viz: "Pentacost time, on the eve of his embarkation for America. The record cannot be found; he said his first mass in Baltimore, U. S. A."

Extracts from the Records of the "Grand Seminaire" of Orleans, France, for this work.

"Received Tonsure at Orleans (France), Saturday *le quatre temps de l'Avent*, 1787."

"Received *les quatre order mineurs*, Saturday *de le Trinite*, 1789."

"Sub-Deacon and Deacon, at Paris."

(3) Elected Bishop of Philadelphia (Bull dated) January 16, 1816.

which he declined; appointed Coadjutor to Baltimore, with the Titular See of "Stauropolis" on July 4, 1817, but by reason of the death of the Archbishop, he was consecrated Archbishop of Baltimore; received his Pallium at the hands of Rev. Anthony Kohlmann, in his cathedral, December 19, 1819.

MARTIN, RT. REV. AUGUSTUS MARY, D.D.,

(Bishop of Natchitoches, La.)

Born February 2, 1803 ⁽¹⁾, at Breton St. Malo, Dept. Ille-et-Vilaine, Diocese of Rennes, France; ordained ———, 1828 ⁽²⁾, at Rennes, by Mgr. Segney, Bishop of that See; consecrated in the Cathedral at New Orleans, La., November 30, 1853 ⁽³⁾, by Abp. Blanc, assisted by Bp. Portier and Bp. Van de Velde.

Died at Natchitoches ⁽⁴⁾, September 29, 1875.

(1) From Records.

(2) There is no record of date in U. S., and inquiry at Rennes produced the reply: "The Bishop of Rennes took him back to that City in 1828, no record of date."

(3) The consecration was to have been on November 23, but Bp. Van de Velde was detained some days by reason of the steamer, on which he was descending the Mississippi River, striking on a sand bar below Memphis. "New Orleans Catholic Messenger," of November 24, 1853.

The appointment of Bp. Martin was dated July 29, 1853.

(4) In his last hours he was attended by Rev. Henry Bigley, S.J., whom the Bishop called his son, he having adopted him at the age of four years, when both parents died from yellow fever at Baton Rouge, just after their arrival from Ireland.

(Vide, Letter from Rev. ———, of Louisiana.)

He was made Sub-Deacon at Beauvais, 1824; Deacon at Paris, 1825; a little later the Bishop of Rennes took him home to his own Diocese.

MARTINELLI, MT. REV. SEBASTIANO, O.S.A., D.D.,

(Apostolic Delegate to U. S.)

Born August 21, 1848, at Borgo St. Ann, Lucca, Italy; joined the O.S.A. December 8, 1863; professed January 6, 1865; ordained March 4, 1871, at Rome, by Mgr. Peter Villanova Castellaci, Archbishop of Petra, and Vice-Gerent of Rome. He was elected General of the O. S. A. September 28, 1889; appointed Apostolic delegate to the United States on Friday, August 7, 1896; consecrated Archbishop of "Ephesus," (i. p. i.), at Rome, on Sunday, August 30, 1896, by Cardinal Rampolla, assisted by Mgr. William Pifferi, Bishop of "Porphyrium," (i. p. i.), Papal Sacristan, and Mgr. Veneri, Bishop of Aquapendente, Italy; entered upon his duties as Apostolic Delegate October 4, 1896. His parents' names are Cosimo and Madalina (Pardini) Martinelli.

(Data verified by Mgr. Martinelli and V. Rev. Dr. Middleton, O.S.A.)

MARTY, RT. REV. MARTIN, O. S. B.,

Born January 11, 1834, at Schwyz, Switzerland (1); ordained September 14, 1856, by Johann Peter Mirer, Bishop of St. Gall, at Einsiedeln; consecrated at Ferdinand, Indiana, on February 1, 1880, by Bp. Chatard, of Vincennes, assisted by Bp. Seidenbush, O. S. B., and Abbot Innocent Wolf, O. S. B.; title received Bishop of "Tiberias" i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of Dakota; promoted Bishop of Sioux Falls, Dak., on December 16, 1889; transferred to Diocese of St. Cloud, Minn., on January 21, 1895; was administrator of Sioux Falls from transfer till consecration of Bp. O'Gorman.

Died on September 19, 1896, at St. Cloud, Minn.

(1) Professed O. S. B. at Einsiedeln, May 20, 1855; appointed Abbot, January, 1871; blessed Abbott of St. Memrad's Abbey, Indiana, by Bp. St. Palais, on May 21, 1871. (Founder of St. Memrad's Abbey.)
(All data verified by Bp. Marty himself.)

MATZ, RT. REV. NICHOLAS CHRYSOSTOM, D.D.,
(Bishop of Denver, Col.)

Born April 6, 1850, at Münster, Lorraine, France; ordained May 31, 1874, at Denver, Col., by Vicar Apostolic Machebeuf; consecrated in the same city, October 28, 1887, by Abp. Salpointe, assisted by Dr. Machebeuf, Vicar Apostolic, and the Abbot Frowinas, O. S. B.; his title being "Bishop of Telmessia," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to Vicar Apostolic Machebeuf; succeeded to the See of Denver, July 10, 1889.

(Data supplied by Bp. Matz.)

MAY, RT. REV. MONSIGNOR MICHAEL,
(Domestic Prelate, Brooklyn, N. Y.)

Born June 2, 1826, at Waltham, Bavaria; ordained July 15, 1851, at Ratisbon, Bavaria, by Rt. Rev. Valentin Riedl, Bishop of that See; named Domestic Prelate August, 1892; invested in the Purple by Bp. McDonnell, in Brooklyn, in the same month.

Died at Brooklyn, February 11, 1895.

(Data from Mgr. May.)

MCCLOSKEY, H. E. JOHN, CARDINAL, D.D.,
(First Cardinal in U. S., New York City.)

Born March 10, 1810, in Brooklyn, N. Y.; baptized in old St. Peter's Church, New York City; ordained January 12, 1834, in the Cathedral, New York City, by Bp. DuBois; consecrated in that City, March 10, 1844, by Bp. Hughes, assisted by Fenwick, of Boston, and Bp. Whelan, of Richmond; received the Title "Bishop of

'Axiere'" and Coadjutor to the Diocese of New York; transferred ⁽¹⁾ Bishop of Albany, N. Y., May 21, 1847; promoted Archbishop of New York, May 6, 1864; created Cardinal Priest, "*Sancta Maria Supra Minervam*," March 15, 1875; Berretta conferred by Abp. Bayley, April 30, 1875; took possession of his Titular Church September 30, 1875.

Died in New York City, October 10, 1885.

(1) Installed in his cathedral, Albany, September 9, 1847, by Bp. Hughes.

McCLOSKEY, RT. REV. WILLIAM GEORGE, D.D.,
(Louisville, Ky.)

Born November 10, 1843, at Brooklyn, N. Y.; ordained October 6, 1852 ⁽¹⁾, in cathedral at New York city, by Abp. Hughes; elected Bishop of Louisville, March 3, 1868; consecrated in the Church "S. Maria della Umilita" Rome, Italy, May 24, 1868 ⁽²⁾, by Cardinal August Charles de Reisach, Archbishop of Munich, Bavaria, assisted by Mgr. de Merode, Archbishop of Militene, and Mgr. Nobile Viteleschi, Archbishop of Osimo and Cingoli.

(1) Confirmed, and received minor orders from Abp. Eccleston; was made Pres. Amer. College, Rome, before consecration.

(2) The consecration data is direct from the Records at Rome, especially for this work.

McCOLGAN, RT. REV. MGR., EDWARD,
(Domestic Prelate, Baltimore, Md.)

Born May 1, 1812, in the parish of Culdaff, Co. Donegal, Ireland; ordained September 1, 1839, at Baltimore, by Abp. Eccleston; named Domestic Prelate, September 24, 1885, invested in the Purple by Abp. Gibbons.

Died at Baltimore, Md., February 5, 1898.

(Data from Mgr. McColgan.)

McDONNELL, RT. REV. CHARLES EDWARD, D.D.,
(Brooklyn, N. Y.)

Born February 1, 1854, in New York City; ordained May 19, 1878, at the American College, Rome, Italy, by Bp. Chatard, of Vincennes, Ind., then in Rome; consecrated in the cathedral of New York, April 25, 1892, by Abp. Corrigan, assisted by Bp. McQuaid, and Bp. Chatard; made V. Rev. Mgr., June, 1890.

(Data from Bp. McDonnell.)

McFARLAND, RT. REV. FRANCIS PATRICK, D.D.,
(Bishop of Hartford, Conn.)

Born April 16, 1819, at Franklin, Pennsylvania; ordained May 18, 1845, in New York City, by Bp. Hughes; elected Bishop of Hartford, January 9, 1858; consecrated at Providence, R. I., on March 14, 1858, by Bp. Hughes, assisted by Bp. Timon and Bp. Fitzpatrick.

Died at Hartford, Conn., October 12, 1874.

McFAUL, RT. REV. JAMES AUGUSTINE, D.D.,
(Bishop of Trenton, N. J.)

Born June 6, 1850, at Larne, Co. Antrim, Ireland; ordained May 26, 1877, in the Chapel at Seton Hall College, South Orange, N. J., by Bp. Corrigan of Newark; consecrated at Trenton, October 18, 1894, by Abp. Corrigan, of New York, assisted by Bp. McDonnell, and Bp. McQuaid; was Administrator (*Sede Vacante*) of Trenton after the death of Bp. O'Farrell.

(Data from Bp. McFaul.)

McGILL, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,
(Richmond, Va.)

Born November 4, 1809, at Philadelphia, Pa.; ordained June 13, 1835, at Bardstown, Ky., by Bp. David; consecrated at Bardstown, November 10, 1850, by Abp. Kenrick, of St. Louis, assisted by Bp. Miles and Bp. St. Palais.

Died at Richmond, January 14, 1872.

(*"Catholic Herald," Phila.*)
(*"Catholicity in Ky.," Webb.*)

In a letter written by Dr. McGill, dated from Paris, he gives an account of his being present at the marriage of the Emperor Napoleon III, being in the Sanctuary, vested as a Bishop.

McGOLTRICK, RT. REV. JAMES, D.D.,
(Duluth, Minn.)

Born May 1, 1841, at Borrisokane, Co. Tipperary, Ireland; ordained June 11, 1867, at All Hallows College, Dublin, Ireland, by Bp. Moriarty; consecrated at St. Paul, Minn., December 27, 1889, by Abp. Ireland, assisted by Abp. T. L. Grace (i. p. i.), and Bp. Marty. (Data from Bp. McGoltrick.)

McGOVERN, RT. REV. THOMAS, D.D.,
(Harrisburg, Pa.)

Born April (date unknown, record burned), 1832 (¹), at Swanlinbar, Co. Caven, Ireland; ordained December 27, 1861, at Philadelphia, Pa., by Bp. Wood; consecrated in

Cathedral, Harrisburg, Sunday, March 11, 1888, by Bp. O'Hara, assisted by Bp. Gilmour and Bp. Watterson.

(Data from Bp. McGovern.)

(1) The Bishop does not remember the date, and a letter from Swanlinbar, gives the fact of the burning of the Church and Records. (See McManus, Mgr. James.)

McMAHON, RT. REV. LAWRENCE STEPHEN, D.D.,
(Hartford, Conn.)

Born December 26, 1835, at St. John's, N. B., B. A.; ordained March 24, 1860, at St. John's Lateran, Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Patrizzi, Vicar-General of Rome; consecrated at Hartford, August 10, 1879 (having been elected in May of that year), consecrator Abp. Williams, assistants, Bp. Loughlin and Bp. O'Reilly of Springfield. During the absense of Bp. Hendriken, of Providence, Father McMahon, being Vicar-General of the Diocese, was *Admr. ad. it.*, laid the corner stone of Providence Cathedral.

Died at Lakeville, Conn. (St. Mary's Parochial residence), August 21, 1893.

(Data supplied from Diocese of Providence.)

McMANUS, RT. REV. MGR. BERNARD,
(Domestic Prelate, Baltimore, Md.)

Born August 28, 1819 ⁽¹⁾, in Co. Roscommon, Ireland; ordained September 1, 1850, at St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, by Abp. Eccleston. He studied ⁽²⁾ at Mt. St. Mary's and St. Mary's Seminaries, where he was ordained; first mission was St. Mary's Church, Rockville, Md., second, St. Peters, Washington, D. C. In 1853 Abp. Kenrick sent him to establish St. John's Parish, Baltimore; he built the church, two schools, introduced the Sisters of Charity, Christian Brothers; during his pastorate St. Ann's and St. Andrew's churches were built out of his original parish limits. He was named Domestic Prelate of the first class, December 17, 1886; invested by Abp. Gibbons in St. John's Church, Baltimore, on June 30, 1887.

Died February 28, 1888, at Baltimore; at his funeral were Card'l Gibbons, Bp. Wadhams, Bp. Moore; the Rev. John Foley (now Bishop of Detroit), preached the sermon. He was buried in the crypt under Holy Cross Chapel.

(1) From Cardinal Gibbons, birthplace unknown.

(2) Searches made by Father Ferd. A. Litz, C. SS. R., especially for this work.

McMANUS, RT. REV. JAMES T.,

(Domestic Prelate, Rochester, N. Y.)

Born June, — 1826 ⁽¹⁾, at Swanlinbar, Co. Caven, Ireland; ordained Christmas ordinations, 1851, at Buffalo (?), by Bp. Timon; named Domestic Prelate, 1888; invested June 23, 1888, by Bp. McQuaid, at Geneva, N. Y.

Died June 28, 1890, at Geneva, N. Y.

(1) Mgr. DeRegge (from letter to him per Rev. Michael McManus, of the Diocese of Boston, and nephew of Mgr. McManus) gives date of birth as 1820, and 1852 as year of ordination, but the account of death, gives the age as 63, and there is no such ordination in Bp. Timon's diary in 1852.

A letter from *Swanlinbar* states that "the early Records were burned (see McGovern) and the existing records only go back to 1835."

McMULLEN, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(Davenport, Iowa.)

Born January 8, 1832, at Ballynahinch, Ireland; Sub-Deacon, June 11; Deacon, June 19; Priest June 20, 1858, at Rome, Italy, by Abp. Ligi Bussi, in his Private Chapel; consecrated in Chicago, Ill., July 15, 1881, by Abp. Feehan, assisted by Bp. Hennessy, of Dubuque, and Bp. Spalding, of Peoria; Administrator of Chicago (*Sede Vacante*), 1879-80.

Died at Davenport, July 4, 1883. (Data by Bp. Cosgrove.)

McNAMARA, RT. REV. MGR., PATRICK JOSEPH,

(Domestic Prelate, Brooklyn, N. Y.)

Born January 23, 1844, in Co. Clare, Ireland; ordained June 30, 1870, in St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, Md., by Bp. Foley, of Chicago; named Domestic Prelate June 27, 1895; invested in Brooklyn, by Bp. McDonnell.

(Data from Mgr. McNamara.)

McNIERNY, RT. REV. FRANCIS, D.D.,

(Albany, N. Y.)

Born April 25, 1828, in New York City; ordained August 7, 1854, in New York City, by Abp. Hughes; consecrated in New York City, April 21, 1872; having been appointed December 22, 1871 ⁽¹⁾, Bishop of "Rhesina," and Coadjutor to Albany; consecrator Abp. McCloskey, assistants, Bp. Loughlin and Bp. Bacon; was made Bishop Administrator of Albany, January 18, 1874; and succeeded as Bishop of Albany, October 12, 1877.

Died at Albany, January 2, 1894.

(1) All dates from MS. in autograph of Bp. McNierny in F. X. Reuss, Collection of MSS. now in library of American Catholic Historical Society, Philadelphia.

McQUAID, RT. REV. BERNARD, D.D.,

(Bishop of Rochester, N. Y.)

Born December 15, 1823, in New York City; ordained January 16, 1848, feast of the Holy Name, in St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York City, by Bp. Hughes; consecrated in that city July 12, 1868, by Abp. McCloskey, assisted by Bp. Bayley, of Newark, and Bp. Goesbriand.

(Data from Bp. McQuaid.)

MEERSCHAERT, RT. REV. THEOPHILE, D.D.,

(First Vicar Apostolic, Indian Territory.)

Born August 24, 1847, at Russeigniers, Belgium; ordained December 23, 1871, at Malines, Belgium, by Mgr. Charles Andrew Anthonis, Titular Bishop of Constance and Coadjutor to Cardinal Deschamps; appointed Vicar Apostolic June 2, 1891; consecrated September 8, 1891, at Natchez, Miss., by Abp. Janssens, assisted by Bp. Heslin and Bp. Fitzgerald; his title was "Bishop of Syndimorum," i. p. i.; was Administrator *Sede Vacante*, of Natchez, after the transfer of Bp. Janssens to New Orleans.

(Data from Bp. Meerschaert.)

MELCHER, RT. REV. JOSEPH, D.D.,

(Bishop of Green Bay, Wis.)

Born March 19, 1806, at Vienna, Austria; ordained March 27, 1830 ⁽¹⁾, at Modena, Italy, by Bp. Æodati Califfi, O. S. B., Bishop of Carpi; consecrated at St. Louis, Mo., on July 12, 1868 ⁽²⁾, by Abp. P. R. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. Henni, of Milwaukee, and Bp. Juncker, of Alton; sermon by Dr. Salzman, of Milwaukee.

Died December 20, 1873, at Green Bay, Wis.

(Data from Bp. Messmer and from Modena, Italy.)

(1) Mgr. Califfi had been Bishop of Carpi, but in May, 1830, had been transferred to the then vacant See of Modena. He had been ordaining for the Diocese of Modena since the *Sede Vacante*.

(2) Dr. Melcher had been (in 1855) appointed Bishop of the proposed See of Quincy, but refused to accept. That See was suppressed after a short time in favor of Alton, Ill.

MESSMER, RT. REV. SEBASTIAN GEBHARD, D.D.,

(Green Bay, Wis.)

Born August 29, 1847, at Goldach (St. Gall), Switzerland; ordained July 23, 1871, at Innsbruck, Austria, by Bp. Zuber, Vic. Apostolic; consecrated at Newark, N. J., on March 27, 1892 (appointed December 14, 1891), by Bp. Zardetti, of St. Cloud, assisted by Bp. Wigger, of Newark, and Bp. Keane, of the University, at Washington; sermon by Bp. McQuaid, of Rochester; title Bishop of Green Bay, Wis.

(Data from Bp. Messmer.)

MICHAUD, RT. REV. JOHN STEPHEN, D.D.,

(Burlington, Vt.)

Born November 24, 1843, at Burlington, Vt.; ordained June 7, 1873, at St. Joseph's Seminary, Troy, N. Y., by Bp. Wadhams; consecrated Bishop of "Modra," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to Burlington, Vt., in the Cathedral of that City, June 29, 1892, by Abp. Williams, assisted by Bp. Bradley and Bp. Gabriels.

(Data from Bp. Michaud.)

MIEGE, RT. REV. JOHN BAPTIST, S.J.,

Born September 18, 1815, at La Foret, Upper Savoy (Chevron); ordained September 7, 1847, at Rome, Italy, by Ven. Joseph Canali, Patriarch of Constantinople; consecrated at St. Louis, Mo., March 25, 1851, by Abp. P. R. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. Van de Velde and Bp. St. Palais; sermon by Rev. John Higginbotham; made Titular Bishop of "Messinia," i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of Kansas and Indian Territory; resigned, December 14, 1874.

Died July 20, 1884, at Woodstock (house of the S.J.), Md.

He entered the S. J. in 1836, and retained his Titular See after resignation.

(Verified by Rev. E. J. D., S.J.)

MILES, RT. REV. RICHARD PIUS, O.P., D.D.,

(Nashville, Tenn.)

Born May 17, 1791, in Prince George Co., Md.; ordained Saturday of September, Ember week, 1816, at St. Rose Convent, O. P., Springfield, Ky., by Bp. Flaget; consecrated at St. Rose Convent, Ky., by Bp. Rosati, assisted by Bp. Brute, and Coadj. Bp. Chabrat, September 16, 1838; Bp. Timon preached; Bp. David was present.

Died at Nashville, February 1, 1860.

He received the *Habit* in the Convent (O.S.D.), October 10, 1806.

(Data from Nashville Archives and from the O.P. in the United States.)

MOHR, RT. REV. CHARLES, O. S. B.,

(Canonical Prior, St. Leo's Priory, Florida.)

Born January 24, 1863, at Chilicothe, O.; ordained June 22, 1886, at St. Mary's Help, Abbey, N. C., by Bp. Northrop; appointed Canonical Prior (Right Reverend) by brief of September 17, 1894.

(From St. Vincent's Abbey, Pa.)

MONAGHAN, RT. REV. JOHN JAMES, D.D.,

(Wilmington, Del.)

The father came from Co. Mayo, Ireland, and after living for a while at Carbondale, Pa., he went south, and

settled at Sumter, S. C., where he married Margaret Bogan, and here was born, May 23, 1856, the subject of this sketch. He was ordained by Bp. Lynch, in the cathedral at Charleston, S. C., December 18, 1880; appointment as Bishop of Wilmington confirmed by the Pope, January 26, 1897; consecrated in the Pro Cathedral, Wilmington, Del., May 9, 1897, by Cardinal Gibbons, assisted by Bp. Curtis (resigned, Wilmington) and Bp. Northrop, of Charleston; sermon by Rev. Michael P. Smith, C. S. P. There were present, Abp. Ryan, Bps. Van de Vyver, Moore, Donohue, and Haid.

(Data from Wilmington, Del.)

MONTGOMERY, RT. REV. GEORGE, D.D.,
(Monterey, Cal.)

Born December 30, 1847, on a farm in Daviess Co., Ky.; ordained December 20, 1879, at Baltimore, Md., by Abp. Gibbons; consecrated at San Francisco, Cal., April 8, 1894, by Abp. Riordan, assisted by Bp. Brondel and Bp. Scanlon; made Titular Bishop of "Tinui," and Coadjutor to Monterey and Los Angeles; on June 20, 1896, Bp. Mora resigned, and he succeeded as Bishop of that See.

(Data from Bp. Montgomery.)

MOONEY, RT. REV. MGR. JOSEPH, F.,
(Domestic Prelate, New York City.)

Born July 8, 1848, at Masthope, Pike Co., Pennsylvania; ordained June 3, 1871, at St. Joseph's Seminary, Troy, N. Y., by Bp. McQuaid; named Domestic Prelate May 2, 1896; invested by Abp. Corrigan, June 3, 1896 (the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ordination), in the Church of the Sacred Heart, New York City.

(Data furnished by Mgr. Mooney.)

MOORE, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,
(St. Augustine, Fla.)

Born June 27, 1835, at Castletown-Delvin, Westmeath, Ireland; ordained April 9, 1860, at Rome, Italy, by Abp. Luigi Bussi, Vicegerent of Rome; consecrated at Charleston, S. C., May 13, 1877, by Bp. Lynch, assisted by Bp. Gross and Bp. Becker.

(Data from Bp. Moore.)

MORA, RT. REV. FRANCIS, D.D.,
(Bishop of Monterey, Cal.)

Born November 27, 1827, at Vich, Province of Barcelona, Spain; ordained March 19, 1856, at Santa Barbara, Cal., by Bp. Amat; appointed Bishop of "Mosynopolis,"

i. p. i., and Coadjutor to the Bishop of Monterey, Cal.; consecrated in that city, August 3, 1873, by Bp. Amat, assisted by Bp. Alemany of San Francisco, and Vicar Apostolic O'Connell, of Grass Valley; succeeded to the See of Monterey, May 12, 1878; resigned by letter dated February 1, 1896, accepted at Rome, June 20, 1896. He was appointed Titular Bishop of "Hieropolis;" sailed for Europe on the steamer "Ems" for Genoa, en route for Rome. He intends spending the remainder of his life at his birth place.

(Data from Bps. Mora and Montgomery.)

MRAK, RT. REV. IGNATIUS, D.D.,

(Marquette, Mich.)

Born October 17, 1810, at Pölland, Diocese of Laibach, Austria; ordained July 31, 1837, at Laibach, Austria, by Prince Bp. Anthony Aloys Wolff; consecrated at Cincinnati, O., February 7, 1869, by Abp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. Lefevre and Bp. Henni; resigned by letter of July, 1878; accepted by Rome in August, 1878. He received the Titular See of "Antinoe."

(Data furnished by Bp. Mrak.)

MUEHLSIEPEN, RT. REV. MGR. HENRY,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese St. Louis, Mo.)

Born September 4, 1834, at Hoesel, Diocese of Cologne, Prussia; ordained December 8, 1857, at St. Louis, Mo., by Abp. P. R. Kenrick; named Domestic Prelate June 15, 1896. No ceremony of Investiture.

(Data from Mgr. Muehlsiepen.)

MULLEN, RT. REV. TOBIAS, D.D.,

(Erie, Pa.)

Born March 4, 1818, of Thomas and Mary (Travers) Mullen, in the townland and Parish of Urney, near Castlefin, Co. Tyrone, Ireland. He was at Maynooth College at the time Bp. O'Connor was returning from Rome after consecration, and came with him to America; was ordained by Bp. O'Connor, September 1, 1844, in (old) St. Paul's Church, Pittsburg; said his first mass in St. Philomena's Church (German), assisted by Father Neumann, C. SS. R. (later Bishop of Philadelphia); consecrated in (new) St. Paul's Church, Pittsburg, Sunday, August 2, 1868, by Bp. Domenec, assisted by by Bp. Wood and Bp. Rappe; Rev. Stephen Wall preached; present were Bps. Luers, Shanahan, and

Abbot Wimmer. Celebrated silver jubilee of consecration August 2, 1893, and the golden jubilee of ordination Sunday, September 9, 1894. (All data from Bp. Mullen, 1896.)

He was stricken with paralysis Thursday, May 20, 1897. On Monday, May 24, Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia, presided at a Council of the Priests of the Erie Diocese, and steps were taken to procure a Coadjutor.

NEALE, MT. REV. LEONARD, S. J.,
(Baltimore, Md.)

Born October 15, 1746, near Port Tobacco, Charles Co., Md.; ordained June 5, 1773 ⁽¹⁾, at Liege, Belgium, by (Francis Carl von Welbruck?) ⁽²⁾, Bishop of Liege, Belgium; consecrated at Baltimore, Md., December 7, 1800, by Abp. John Carroll, assisted by Rev. Charles F. Nagot, SS., Rev. Francis Beeston, Titular Bishop of "Gortyna," i. p. i. and Coadjutor to Baltimore; succeeded to See of Baltimore, December 3, 1815.

Died June 18, 1817, at Visitation Convent, Georgetown, D. C.

(1) In search after the unknown date and place of his ordination, I quote from data received, viz.: a letter from the Jesuit College at Ghent, Belgium (St. Barbe), says: "There is no record of ordination; some data which we have sought for you at Brussels, mentions that Dr. Neale was at Liege, about September 9, 1773, at the time of the suppression of the S. J. taken from Records of the English Prov. S. J. Foley, Vol. V. 1879, pp. 187 and 188." These notes conclude as follows: "P. Leonardus Neale, Prefectus in Missiones Anglo-Marylandisus, December 15, 1773," and then in French "J'en conclus que le P. Neale, etait pretre de puis 1773 on an plus tot de puis 1772 maiscela est insuffissant comme ren seigment." These notes enclosed from Liege, are dated, Brussels, Nov. 14. 1895. (F. X. R.)

A further search led me to Stonyhurst College, Blackburn, England, with better result, a letter from Father Walmesley, S. J., Rector, gives facts. "***** I have been searching our best living authorities, Father John Girard, S. J. From the *Liege Day Book*: It is clear that Neale was ordained at Liege, June 5, 1773.

"Entry as follows: From *Liege Day Book*: "Saturday, June 5, 1773, Presbyteratus ordinem suscepit R. Dom. Leonardus Neale (name of ordaining prelate omitted), Friday, December 16, 1773, Discessit d. Leo. Neale, Bidellus, Jemaica (sic) petiturus. ***** Cum Bidello abiire in Angliano D.D. Car, Sewall, Aug. Jenkins."

(2) The name of the ordaining prelate is a conjecture, as the Bishop of Liege generally ordained the students.

(Letter from Ghent.)

Entered the S. J., at Ghent, Belgium, September 7th, 1767. He received the Pallium at the hands of Bp. Cheverus at Georgetown, D. C., in the Visitation Chapel, November 19, 1816.

NECKERE, RT. REV. LEO. RAYMOND, DE, C.M., D.D.,
(New Orleans, La.)

Born June 6, 1800, at Wevelghem, Belgium; ordained October 13, 1822, at the C. M. Seminary (the Barrrens), St. Louis, Mo., by Bp. Rosati; consecrated at New

Orleans, May 24 ⁽¹⁾, 1830 (having been appointed August 4, 1829), by Bp. Rosati, assisted by Bp. Portier. He was to have been consecrated on May 16, but he was detained at St. Genevieve, Mo., by illness, and Bp. England, who was to have been one of the Assistants, was obliged to return to his Diocese, and Very Rev. B. (G. ?), Richard, V. G., was Junior Assistant.

Died at New Orleans, of Yellow Fever, on September 4, 1833.

(From Abp. Janssens.)

(1) Dr. Shea, Vol. III. p. 666 (Cath. Ch. in U.S.), says: "Consecrated May 16, with Portier and England as assistants." The account as given in the text, may be found in the "Catholic Press" of Hartford, Conn., copied from the "Bardstown Herald." (F. X. R.)

NEPOMUCENE, RT. REV. ABBOT, O.S.B.,

(Baptized, Charles Jaeger.)

Born February 24, 1844, at Kuttenberg, Bohemia; ordained July 12, 1875, at St. Vincent's Abbey, Pa., by Bp. Domenec; professed O.S.B., at St. Vincent's Abbey, July 11, 1874; elected Prior of St. Procopius, Chicago, May 23, 1888; blessed Abbot, by Abp. Feehen, July 4, 1894.

(From Abbot Nepomucene.)

NEREZ, RT. REV. JOHN CLAUDE, D.D.,

(San Antonio, Tex.)

Born January 12, 1828, at Anse, Dept. Rhone, France; ordained at Galveston, Texas, February 19, 1853, by Bp. Odin, of Galveston; consecrated at San Antonio, May 8, 1881, by Bp. Fitzgerald, assisted by Bp. Manucy and Bp. Dubuis.

Died November 15, 1894, at San Antonio.

(From Bp. Nerez.)

Sub Deacon and Deacon on September 28 and 29, 1852, from the hands of Bp. Odin; administrator of San Antonio, after death of Bp. Pellicer; administrator of Brownsville, after promotion of Bp. Manucy; and acting Vicar Apostolic after death of Dr. Manucy.

NEUMANN, RT. REV. JOHN NEPOMUCENE,

C. SS. R., D.D.,

(Philadelphia, Pa.)

Born Good Friday, March 28, 1811, at Srachatic, Bohemia, Austria, and baptized the same day in the church of St. James the Great; came to the United States in 1836; made Sub Deacon, June 19; Deacon, June 24; ordained Priest, June 25, 1836, in New York city, by Bp. Dubois; was professed C.S.S.R. in 1842, being the first C.S.S.R. professed in the United States. In December, 1846, he was Vice Provincial; consecrated at

Baltimore, March 28, 1852, Passion Sunday, by Abp. F. P. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. O'Reilly, of Hartford, and Rev. Francis L'Homme.

Died suddenly at Philadelphia, January 5, 1860; buried under the main altar, St. Peter's Church, Philadelphia.

(From "Life of Bp. Neumann" Berger, and from the C.S.S.R. in U. S. and Rome. Parents, Philip and Agnes (Lebis) Neumann.

In December (15), 1896, began the introduction to the process of Beatification at Rome, bestowing on him the appellation "Venerable."

NORTHROP, RT. REV. HENRY PINCKNEY, D.D.,

(Charleston, S. C.)

Born May 5, 1842, at Charleston, S. C.; ordained June 25, 1865, at Rome, Italy, by Card'l Castellache; consecrated at Baltimore, Md., January 8, 1882, by Abp. Gibbons, assisted by Bp. Keane and Bp. Becker; title Bishop of "Rosalia," i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of North Carolina. On January 27, 1883, he was promoted Bishop of Charleston.

(From Bp. Northrop.)

O'CONNELL, RT. REV. EUGENE, D.D.,

(Bishop of Grass Valley, Cal.)

Born June 18, 1815, in the Parish of Kings Court, near Navan, Co. Meath, Ireland; ordained June, 1842⁽¹⁾, (Trinity Saturday), at Maynooth, Ireland, by Abp. Daniel Murray, of Dublin; consecrated in the Chapel of All Hallows College, Dublin, Ireland, February 3, 1861⁽²⁾, having been elected, on September 26, 1860, Titular Bishop of "Flaviopolis," and Vicar Apostolic of Marysville, California. Consecrator, Archbishop Paul Cullen, of Dublin, assisted by Bp. Edward Walsh, of Ossary, and Bp. James Walshe, of Kildare; translated to the new See of Grass Valley, Cal., as Bishop, February 3, 1868; resigned March 17, 1884; received the title "Bishop of 'Joppa,' i. p. i."

Died at Los Angeles, Cal., December 4, 1891.

(Data from letters of Bp. O'Connell to the Author.)

(1) Ordained data from the Cathedral, Archives of Dublin, Ireland.

He left Cork March 14, 1861; landed at New York March 28, 1861; arrived at Marysville, Cal., Saturday June 8, 1861; was *inducted* on Sunday 9, in St. Joseph's Cathedral, by Abp. Alemany. Bp. O'Connell preached.

(2) The consecration data is from "Irish Register" (Directory) for 1861.

The Archbishop of Dublin in a letter (1896), gives the same, but adds: "Dr. Fortune, ex-president of All Hallows, tells me the assistants were Dr. Cantwell, of Meath, and Dr. Flannery, of Killaloe."

This is certainly an error of memory. They were assistants at the consecration of Bp. Grimley, Coadjutor to the Bishop of Cape of Good Hope, which took place a month before.

(F. X. R.)

O'CONNELL, RT. REV. MGR. JOSEPH,

(Dom. Prelate, Brooklyn.)

Born Christmas Day, 1832, at Cork, Ireland; ordained June 20, 1858, at Rome, Italy, by Abp. Ligi-Bussi, Vicegerent, of Cardinal Patrizzi; named Domestic Prelate (Rt. Rev.), October 6, 1894; brief issued November 23, 1894; invested December 17, 1894, at Brooklyn, by Bp. McDonnell.

(Data supplied by Mgr. O'Connell.)

O'CONNOR, RT. REV. JAMES, D.D.,

(Bishop of Omaha, Neb.)

Born September 10, 1823, at Queenstown, Co. Cork, Ireland; ordained March 25, 1848, at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Fransoni; elected Bishop of "Dibona," i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of Nebraska, June 30, 1876, consecrated August 20, 1876, at the seminary of St. Charles Borromeo, Philadelphia, Pa., by Coadjutor Bp. Ryan, of St. Louis, Mo., assisted by Bp. O'Hara and Bp. Shanahan; promoted Bishop of Omaha, Nebraska, October 2, 1885.

Died at Omaha, May 27, 1890.

(Data from Diocesan Archives.)

O'CONNOR, RT. REV. MICHAEL, D.D.,

(Bishop of Pittsburg, Pa.)

Born September 27, 1810, at Queenstown, Co. Cork, Ireland; ordained June 1, 1833, at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Patrizzi, Bishop of Albano. After his ordination (¹) he went into the diocese of Cork, where he was placed at a small mission at "Cove." In July, 1837, he was made chaplain and confessor to a convent at Done-
raile, in the diocese of Cloyne. He did not like the Irish mission, and when Bp. Kenrick, of Philadelphia, was visiting in Ireland, he appealed to him, and received permission to go into the American missions. On October 1, 1838, he was at Liverpool en route for the United States. He was consecrated Bishop of Pittsburg, Pa., in the church of St. Agatha, Rome, Italy, August 15, 1843 (²), by Cardinal Filippo Fransoni, Prefect of the Propaganda, assisted by Mgr. Acquini, Bishop of Tarsus, and Mgr. Castellani, Bishop of Porfirio; transferred to Erie as Bishop of that See, July 29, 1853; restored to Pittsburg, February 20, 1854; resigned (date of acceptance) May 23, 1860. He entered the Society of Jesus, and, at his own request, all episcopal faculties were withdrawn.

Died at Woodstock (S. J.) College, Md., October 18, 1872.

(1) Letter of Dr. O'Connor to Dr. Paul Cullen. Archives American Catholic Historical Society, Philadelphia.

(2) These data from "Diario Romano," August 20, 1843, also from Archives of Diocese of Liverpool, England, Bishop Sharpless of that See, having been consecrated at the same time. No Record in the United States.

O'DEA, RT. REV. EDWARD JOHN,
(Nesqually, Wash.)

Born November 23, 1856, at Dorchester (near Boston), Mass.; ordained December 23, 1882, at Grand Seminary, Montreal, Canada, by Abp. Edward Charles Fabre, D.D.; consecrated at Vancouver, Wash., on September 8, 1896, by Abp. Gross, assisted by Bp. Lemmens and Bp. Gloireux; appointment received June 13, 1896.

(From Bp. O'Dea.)

ODIN, MT. REV. JOHN MARY, C.M., D.D.,
(Archbishop of New Orleans, La.)

Born February 25, 1801, at Amberlie, France; ordained May 4, 1823 ⁽¹⁾, at the seminary (Barrens), Diocese of St. Louis, Mo., by Bp. Dubourg; consecrated at New Orleans, March 6, 1842, by Bp. Blanc of that See, assisted by Bp. Portier and Bp. Chanche, being appointed Titular Bishop of "Claudiopolis," and Vicar Apostolic of Texas; promoted Bishop of Galveston, April 23, 1847; translated to New Orleans, as Archbishop, February 15, 1861.

Died May 25, 1870, whilst visiting his home at Amberlie, France.

(Data from N. O. Galveston, and from the C. M. in the U.S.)

(1) It is somewhere published that he was ordained by Bp. Rosati. The latter was not consecrated until 1824.

O'FARRELL, RT. REV. MICHAEL JOSEPH, D.D.,
(Trenton, N. J.)

Born December 2, 1832, at Limerick, Ireland; ordained August 18, 1855 ⁽¹⁾, in Limerick Cathedral, by Bp. John Ryan, of Limerick, Ireland; consecrated in New York City, November 1, 1881, by Cardinal McCloskey, assisted by Coadj. Bp. Corrigan and Bp. Loughlin.

Died April 2, 1894, at Trenton, N. J.

(Life of Bp. O'Farrell.)

(1) He joined the S.S. in Paris, France. He entered the New York Diocese as a secular priest.

O'GORMAN, RT. REV. JAMES MICHAEL, (Trappist.)
 Born October — 1804 ⁽¹⁾, at Clauna, near Nenagh, Co. Tipperary, Ireland; ordained January — 1843 ⁽²⁾, in the Trappist Cloister, Mount Melleray, Ireland, by the Rt. Rev. Dr. Foran, Bp. of Waterford, Ireland; consecrated in the Cathedral at St. Louis, Mo., May 8, 1859, having been elected Titular Bishop of "Raphanæ," and Vicar Apostolic of Nebraska, on January 18, 1859; election confirmed April 15 of the same year; consecrator, Abp. P. R. Kenrick, assistants, Bp. Miede and Bp. Juncker; Bp. Smythe preaching.
 Died July 4, 1874, at Omaha, Neb.

(Data from the Trappist Monasteries in Ireland and United States, also from Diocese of Omaha.)

(1) Baptized *Miles* O'Gorman, son of James and Alicia O'Gorman.
 (From Trappist Records in Iowa.)

(2) Ordination data from same Records; no Records in (Ireland) Mt. Melleray.

Entered the Trappist order in 1838; received the Habit November 1, 1839; professed March 25, 1841; both at Mt. Melleray, Ireland. *Records.*

O'GORMAN, RT. REV. THOMAS, D.D.,
 (Sioux Falls, Dak.)

Born May 1, 1843, in Boston, Mass.; ordained November 5, 1865, at St. Paul, Minn., by Bp. Grace, of St. Paul; consecrated at Washington, D. C., on April 19, 1896, having been appointed December 29, 1895; Consecrator Cardinal Gibbons, Assistants Bp. Marty and Bp. Keane, Rector of the Catholic University.

(From Bp. O'Gorman.)

O'HARA, RT. REV. WILLIAM, D.D.,
 (Scranton, Pa.)

Born April 14, 1816, at Dungiven, Co. Derry, Ireland; ordained December 21, 1842, at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Franson; consecrated in Cathedral of Philadelphia, Pa., July 12, 1868, by Abp. Wood, assisted by Bp. Elder, of Natchez, and Bp. Lynch; Bp. M. O'Connor preaching the sermon.

(From Bp. O'Hara.)

O'REGAN, RT. REV. ANTHONY, D.D.,
 (Chicago, Ill.)

Born at Lavalleyroe, near Cloufad, Diocese of Tuam, Ireland, in 1809 ⁽¹⁾; *ordinations*, Sub-Deacon, June, 1832 ⁽²⁾, Deacon, June, 1833, both by Abp. Murray, in Chapel of Maynooth College, Ireland; Priest on Saturday before first Sunday in Advent, November, 1834, in Cathedral at Tuam, by Abp. McHale, who called him

home to discharge the duties of Professor in St. Jarlith's College, Tuam, Ireland; consecrated at St. Louis, Mo., July 25, 1854, by Abp. P. R. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. Van de Velde, of Natchez, and Bp. Henni; was Administrator of the See of Quincy, Ill., until its suppression in 1857; resigned (date of letter) May 3, 1858, received the Titular See of "Dora," June 25, 1858.

Died November 13, 1866, at Michael's Grove, Brompton (London), England, where he had retired; was buried from Tuam Cathedral at his birthplace.

Rev. James Duggan (later Bishop of Chicago) preached at his consecration.

(1) Abp. McEvilly, of Tuam, writes: "I am sorry to say no record of baptism can be found. * * *"

(2) Ordinations, all records from Tuam.

O'REILLY, RT. REV. MGR. BERNARD,

(Domestic Prelate, Protonotary Apostolic, New York City.)

Born September 29, 1820, in the Parish of Cughall, near Westport, Co. Mayo, Ireland; ordained September 11, 1842, in the Parish Church, at Nicolet, Canada, by Abp. Joseph Signay, of Quebec; nominated Domestic Prelate, September, 15, 1887; nominated Protonotary Apostolic, September 29, 1892.

(Data from Mgr. O'REILLY.)

O'REILLY, RT. REV. BERNARD, D.D.,

(Bishop of Hartford, Conn.)

Born 1803 ⁽¹⁾, in the Townland of Cunnareen, Parish of Columbkil, Co. Longford, Ireland; ordained October 13, 1831, in New York City, by Bp. Kenrick, of Philadelphia; consecrated in St. Patrick's Church, Rochester, New York, on Sunday, November 10, 1850 ⁽²⁾, by Bp. Timon, of Buffalo, assisted by Bp. McCloskey, of Albany, and Bp. Fitzpatrick, of Boston; sermon by Rev. John McElroy; installed in his Cathedral by Bp. Fitzpatrick, assisted by Bp. Timon, on Sunday, November 17, 1850.

Died January, 1856, date unknown; vessel lost at sea while he was returning from Europe ⁽³⁾.

(1) Record of baptism not existing; the month is supposed to be March. (P. P. Columbkil.)

He left Ireland for America January 11, 1825.

(2) "No published record to be found. It was even said by the oldest priests in the Diocese of Rochester, that they doubted if he were consecrated there. The record found in a personal Journal."

The only printed accounts found were in the "Pilot," and from that copied in the "Catholic Herald," Philadelphia. (Letter from Rochester.) (F. X. R.)

"Bp. O'Reilly went to East Canada in 1825; he then went to St.

Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, and it is stated (erroneously) that he was ordained there. His first Mission was Brooklyn, where he was twice stricken with cholera * * * * *; he appears to have visited Maynooth, and to have procured at least one priest there * * * * *"

(Letter of Bp. Hoare, of Ardagh, to the Author.)

From Propaganda Archives, copied for this work especially, viz.:

"Mgr. Bernard O'Reilly was appointed Coadjutor with right of future succession, to Mgr. William Tyler, Bishop of Hartford, by brief of July 23, 1850; by another brief of the same date, the same (Mgr. O'Reilly) was created Bishop of Pompeiopolis, i. p. i., which briefs were forwarded from the Propaganda to Mgr. Tyler, Bishop of Hartford, by letter of August 17, 1850."

Furnished by Rev. Thomas O'Reilly, C.C., of Bannagher, Kings Co., Ireland, a nephew of Bp. O'Reilly, viz.:

(3) His last visit to Ireland, was to secure a colony of Brothers to take charge of his schools; he paid a visit to his aged parents; on January 23, 1856, he sailed in the ship *Pacific*, which never reached any shore. It is supposed that the vessel went down in a storm before February 1.

On one of his visits he took with him to America, a young student of Maynooth College, who afterward became First Bishop of Providence, R. I. (See Hendriken.)

O'REILLY, RT. REV. PATRICK THOMAS, D.D.,

(Springfield, Mass.)

Born December 24, 1833, at Kill, Co. Caven, Ireland; ordained August 15, 1857, at St. Patrick's Church, Boston, Mass., by Bp. Bacon, of Maine; consecrated at St. Michael's Church, Springfield, Mass., September 25, 1870, by Abp. John McCloskey, of New York, assisted by Bp. Williams, of Boston, and Bp. Conroy, of Albany.

Died May 28, 1892, at Springfield, Mass.

Parents, Philip and Mary O'Reilly.

(From Diocese of Springfield.)

O'SULLIVAN, RT. REV. JEREMIAH, D.D.,

(Bishop of Mobile, Ala.)

Born February 6, 1842, and baptized in the Parish church at Kanturk, Diocese of Cloyne, Co. Cork, Ireland; ordained June 30, 1868, in the Chapel of St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, Md., by Abp. Spalding of that See; consecrated in St. Peter's Church, Washington, D. C., being the first Bishop consecrated in the capitol city of the United States, on the feast of the Seven Sorrows, B. V. M. September 20, 1885, by Abp. Gibbons, assisted by Bp. Keane, of Richmond, and Bp. Northrop, of Charleston; sermon by Bp. Kain, of Wheeling; appointment dated June 16, 1885; installed in his Cathedral, November 1, 1885.

Died at Mobile, Ala., August 10, 1896.

(Data from Bp. O'Sullivan.)

PELLICIER, RT. REV. ANTHONY DOMENEC AMBROSE, (1)

Born December 7, 1824, at St. Augustine, Fla.; ordained October 15, 1850, at Mobile, Ala., by Bp. Portier, of Mobile; consecrated at Mobile, December 8, 1874, by Abp. Perche, of New Orleans; assisted by Bp. Fitzgerald, of Little Rock, and Bp. Gibbons, of Richmond; title, Bishop of San Antonio, Texas.

Died April 14, 1880, at San Antonio, Texas.

(Birth data from Records, by favor of Bp. Moore, all other data from Rev. C.M., S.J.)

(1) Copy from baptismal records at St. Augustine, Florida, the name is spelled *Pellicier*, viz.: "Antonio Domenico Ambrosio Pellicier, born December 7, 1824." Baptized July 5, 1825, by Rev. — McCarthy, of St. Mary's, Georgia. (No priest stationed at St. Augustine.)

PENALVERT Y'CARDENAS, RT. REV. LUIS DE (1),
(Bishop of Louisiana.)

Born April 3, 1749; baptized April 12 (2), at Havana, Cuba, West Indies; ordained April 4, 1772 (3), at Havana, by Rt. Rev. Santiago Jose Etchevarria, Bishop of Havana; consecrated in that city in 1793 (4)—Bull of appointment dated April 25, 1793—by Rt. Rev. Josef de Trespalacion Y'Verdeja. On July 20, 1801, he was translated to Guatemala as Archbishop (5); resigned March 1, 1806 (6); took no Titular See, retiring from all episcopal work (7); went to his native city July 17, 1806.

Died July 17, 1810, at Havana.

(1) The name "Penalvert," is thus spelled by Judge Martin, and Charles Gayerre, the historian of Louisiana; both are good authorities, the former because he lived at that epoch, and is generally exact, the latter because he was well acquainted with the Spanish language, and had access to state documents, both his grandfather and father having occupied eminent positions under the Spanish rule; besides, *Penalvert*, as commonly used, has no meaning; *Penalvert*, a corruption of "Peñal Verde," may mean, *Green Rock*; the final "t" may have been dropped in consequence of the Cuban pronunciation, which softens, and even drops the hard consonants at the end of words.

(2) *Birth*.—Shea, in Vol. II., "Church in U. S.," says he was born in 1719, an error of thirty years in the record.

"Son of Don Diego de Peñalvert, and Doña Louisa de Cardenas.

(Records, Cathedral at Havana.)

All dates from records at Havana.

(3) Ordination, from the records at Havana by favor of the present ordinary, 1896.

Tonsure, December 21, 1764, Sub Deacon, 1770, Deacon, June, 1770; received degree of D.D., 1771; made Vic. Gen'l. of Havana, 1773.

(4) The Bull of his appointment was dated April 25, 1793; he arrived in Louisiana July 17, 1795, and took possession August 2, 1795; his letter (in Gayarre, *Spanish Domination*, p. 376, Edition 1886), leaves no doubt as to his coming to Louisiana, although Shea (Decourcy), Edn.

Kenedy, p. 613, speaks of his coming, and leaves the impression that his consecration was later.

(Letter of Rev. * * * * *, S. J.)

Also Spalding's "Life of Flaget," Edition, 1862, p. 161, gives date of taking possession of his See.

(5) He came to Guatemala June 3, 1802, and took possession of his Cathedral June 26; received his Pallium in the Chapel at the hands of the Bishop of Chiapa, Don Ambrosio Llano.

(F. X. R.)

(From Spanish MSS. sent me from Diocese of Guatemala, 1896.)

(6) Gams, "Series Episcoporum."

(7) "He fell ill with a malady of the eyes; was cured by a remedy made of the flowers of the *Romero Plant*, given him by La Señora Doña Juana de Peñol, Marquesa de Aycuiena; he spent his income in charity and (beneficia) in Guatemala, gave the greater part of \$62,000 toward building the hospital of San Juan de Dios; built a home for young girls, and after retiring (renuncia de la Mitra), he spent his life in Havana in unceasing charitable work."

(From Spanish MSS. received from Guatemala, 1896.)

Letter of Abp. of Guatemala, dated from Costa Rico: "I am exiled from my See * * * *. There are no records of Dr. Penalvert there; he was compelled to retire by reason of sight sickness. He would receive no Episcopal Jurisdiction, or Administration at Havana after retiring; he only returned there as to his fatherland."

(† R. Casanora Y'Estrado, Archbishop of Guatemala.)

There is a confusion of names in the writings of historians; Cuba, Santiago, Santiago de Cuba, Havana, are curiously mixed up. In 1772 Louisiana depended on the Diocese of Cuba, but they were two, Santiago and Havana. Fray Cirillo, O.S.F., came to reside in Louisiana as Coadjutor of the Bishop of Cuba. Which Bishop? He addressed his report to Bp. Etchevarria (Hetchearria), his heirarchical superior (query). Was he Bishop of Havana? The most plausible explanation is, that Louisiana depended on Havana as the nearest See, and the most commonly mentioned; that Don Etchevarria was Bishop of Havana in 1792, and that confusion arose, *i. e.*, of using the words Bishop of Santiago, from the name of that Bishop, Santiago Etchevarria, in this hypothesis.

(From "Havana Records State and Church," taken for this work by Fathers Amat, and Tenzas, S. J., of Havana.)

Transfer to Guatemala: Clarke is right (deceased Bishops). "The step was determined on out of discouragement; his first dispatch shows traces of it; but now the treaty of St. Ildefonso (September 15, 1800) had become known, which ceded Louisiana to the French Republic, and French Jacobinism and Freemasonry made more noise than the good and holy Spanish Bishop could bear, hence his transfer.

(Letter of Rev. W. —, S. J., of the Diocese N. O.)

PERCHE, MT. REV. NAPOLEON JOSEPH, D.D.

Born January 30, 1805, at Angers (Maine et Loire), France; ordained September 19, 1829 ⁽¹⁾, at Seminary of Beaupreau, Angers, France, by Mgr. Montault de Isles, Bishop of Angers; consecrated at New Orleans, La., on May 1, 1870, by Bp. Rosencrans, of Columbus, assisted by Bp. Feehan, of Nashville, and Bp. Foley, of Chicago; received Title Bishop of "Abdera," *i. p. i.*, and Coadjutor

to New Orleans; succeeded as Archbishop of New Orleans, May 25, 1870; received Pallium from hands of Pius IX., in 1871.

Died December 27, 1883, at New Orleans.

Came to U. S. with Bp. Flaget, in 1837.

(1) Date and place discovered in a MS. sent me by Rev. F —, C. SS. R., Diocese of New Orleans.

PERSICO, RT. REV. IGNATIUS,

(O. Min. Cap.)

Born January 30, 1823, at Naples, Italy; baptized in the Church of St. George the Great, and named "Camillo, Guglielmo, Maria, Pietro." The parents names were, Francisco Saverio Persico, and Giuseppino Pennachio. The name *Ignatius*, was taken when he entered the Order of Minor Capuchins ⁽¹⁾. He was ordained Priest January 24, 1846 ⁽²⁾, at Naples, by Mgr. Pasca, Bishop of Nola. On March 8, 1854, he was elected Coadjutor to the Vicar Apostolic of Bombay, India, and named Bishop of "Gratianople," i. p. i. He was consecrated at Bombay, India, on Pentecost Sunday, June 4, 1854, in the Cathedral of "Our Lady of Hope" (B. V. M. de Spe), by Rt. Rev. Anastasius Hartman, O. M. C., Titular Bishop of "Derbe," Vicar Apostolic of Bombay, assisted by Father Walter Steins, S.J. (who in 1860 became Vicar Apostolic of Bombay), and Father Thomas, a Passione, o. m. c. Bp. Persico did not succeed to the Vicariate of Bombay; the successor was Bp. Canoz, S.J., in June, 1858 ⁽³⁾. Dr. Persico was made Vicar Apostolic of Hindostan and Thibet, with residence at Agra, in 1856; he resigned in 1860; on March 20, 1870, he was preconized, and on July 16, 1870, he was formally transferred to Savannah, Ga (U. S. A.), as Bishop of that Vacant See; he resigned Savannah, by letter of December, 1872; his last office in that city was the preaching of a sermon in the Cathedral on Sunday, April 27, 1873, one week before Bp. Gross took the *Sede*. Bp. Persico was translated to the See of "Bolenò," i. p. i., June 20, 1874; on July 15, 1878, he was made Bishop of the United Dioceses of Acquino, Pontecowò, and Sora, in East Indies, which he resigned the same year on account of ill health; named Titular Archbishop of "Damietta," March 4, 1887; sent as Commisary Ap. to Ireland in June, 1887; created Cardinal Priest, January 16, 1893; made Prefect of the "Congregatione S. Reliquiarum e Indulgentiarum."

Died at Rome, Italy, December 7, 1895.

(1) "Life of Cardinal Persico," by Fr. Bonaventure, O.M.C., of Naples, sent me by Cardinal San Felice, together with a letter verifying this data.

(2) Dr. Shea, in "Catholic Hierarchy in U. S.," erroneously gives January 25 as the date.

(3) Verified by copy of the record in "Liber Ordinationum" sent the author by Abp. Theodore Dalhoff, of Bombay. He had been in the United States for his health since 1863, and labored in the Charleston Missions; joined the O. Min. Cap. in 1846.

His missionary labors in India were not very great; he visited the military stations where Catholic Chaplains resided; he was greatly liked, being very courteous and affable; preached regularly in his Cathedral, having a good command of English, and a limited knowledge of Hindostanee. During the mutiny, 1857, he was forced to take refuge in the Fort at Agra, with his Religious and Orphans, but the Religious Institutions suffered at the hands of the mutineers. When he left India, homeward bound, he was shipwrecked on the coast of Ceylon, barely escaping with his life.

(Letter of Rev. William Gleeson, who was an associate of Dr. Persico, to the Author.)

Rev. P. Mackin, Catholic Chaplain at Kausauli, India, writes me under date of June 1, 1897: "Bp. Carli having obtained permission from Propaganda to visit Rome on urgent private affairs, Bp. Persico was appointed Vicar Apostolic of Agra, to officiate for him *ad. it.*, and as Bp. Carli was later informed, Bp. Persico became permanent Vicar Apostolic of Agra. The former was not certain whether he would return or not to Agra; he mentioned this uncertainty to me, probably as he intended, in case of return, to send me to Rome to teach English to those Priests intended for the Agra Missions * * * * *"

(Yours Sincerely, P. Mackin, Chaplain.)

PHELAN, RT. REV. RICHARD, D.D.,

(Pittsburg, Pa.)

Born January 1, 1828, at Tralee, near Ballyragget, Co. Limerick, Ireland; ordained May 4, 1854, at Pittsburg, by Bp. M. O'Connor; consecrated at Pittsburg, August 2, 1885, by Abp. Ryan, of Philadelphia, assisted by Bp. Mullen and Bp. Shanahan; was made Bishop of "Cibyra," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to Pittsburg; succeeded to Pittsburg, December 7, 1889.

(From Bp. Phelan.)

PORTIER, RT. REV. MICHAEL,

(Mobile, Ala.)

Born September 7, 1795, at Montbrison, France; ordained June — 1818 ⁽¹⁾, probably Saturday before Trinity Sunday, at St. Louis, Mo., by Bp. Dubourg; consecrated at St. Louis, November 5, 1826, by Bp. Rosati, assisted by Rev. Donatian Oliver and Rev. William Quickenborn; title Bishop of "Oleno," i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of Florida and Alabama; transferred to See of Mobile, Ala., May 15, 1829.

Died May 14, 1859, at Mobile, Ala.

(1) The only record to be found after a long search, is part of a letter of Bp. Portier's, found in "Annales Propaganda, Vol. I., letters

dated at New Orleans, April 15, 1818," and opens, viz., " * * * * * Ma destination est anjouré 'hui fixée, mon poste est à la Nouvelle Orleans, je quitte cette ville au mois de Mai pour mon ordination, et de suite J'y reviens, etc. * * * * *"

(Letter to Challeton, Vic.-General at Lyons, France.)

It is thought that he may have been ordained about Pentecost (feast of).

Fr. Conway S. J., says it was certainly during the Pentecost quarter Tense.

PRENDERGAST, RT. REV. EDMUND FRANCIS, D.D.,

Born May 3, 1843 at Clonmel, Co. Tipperary, Ireland, second door from the west gate; ordained at the Cathedral, Philadelphia, Pa., November 17, 1865, by Bp. James F. Wood, of Philadelphia; appointed Auxiliary Bishop of Philadelphia, Titular Bishop of "Scillio," December 3, 1896 (bull dated December 5, 1896); consecrated at Philadelphia, Wednesday, February 24, 1897 (feast of St. Mathias), by Abp. P. J. Ryan, of Philadelphia, assisted by Bp. Ign. F. Horstman, of Cleveland, and Coadjutor Bishop Hoban, of Scranton (Bp. Phelan, of Pittsburg, was to have been the second assistant, but was unavoidably detained); sermon by Rev. James F. Loughlin, D.D., Chancellor. Present, His Eminence, Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, Rt. Rev. William O'Hara, of Scranton, Rt. Rev. Thomas McGovern, of Harrisburg, Rt. Rev. Henry P. Northrop, of Charleston, Bishop-elect Allen, (to be consecrated for Mobile), Mgr. Cantwell, of Philadelphia, Mgr. Quigley, of Charleston; Bp. Mullen, of Erie was detained at home by illness.

(Data obtained from Bp. Prendergast.)

PRESTON, RT. REV. MGR. THOMAS S.,

(Domestic Prelate, New York.)

Born at Hartford, Conn., July 23, 1824; was a convert to the Church in 1849; ordained November 16, 1850, at Albany, N. Y., by Bp. McCloskey, of Albany; named Private Chamberlain to the Pope (Leo XIII), May, 1881, and appointed Domestic Prelate and Protonotary Apostolic, December 13, 1881; no investment ceremonies (see Mgr. Quinn who was appointed by the same letters).

He died in New York city, November 4, 1891.

(From Mgr. Preston.)

PURCELL, MT. REV. JOHN BAPTIST,

(Cincinnati, O.)

Born February 26, 1800, at Mallow, Co. Cork, Ireland; ordained May 21, 1826, at Paris, France, by Mgr. Hyacinthe Louis de Quelen, Archbishop of Paris, appointed

by Rome, Bishop of Cincinnati, February 25, 1833; consecrated at Baltimore, Md., on October 13, 1833, by Abp. Whitfield, of Baltimore, assisted by Bp. John Dubois, of New York, and Coadjutor Bishop F. P. Kenrick, of Philadelphia; promoted Archbishop of Cincinnati, July 19, 1850; received Pallium from the hands of Pope Pius IX in his private chapel.

Died July 4, 1883, at St. Martins, Brown Co., Ohio.

Son of Edward and Johanna Purcell. Received tonsure and minor orders from Abp. Marechal in May, 1823.

QUARTER, RT. REV. WILLIAM, D.D.,

(Bishop of Chicago, Ill.)

Born January 21, 1806, of Michael and Ann (Bennet) Quarter, in Killurine, Kings Co., Ireland; ordained Tonsure, Minor Orders, and Sub Deacon on Thursday, September 17, 1829; Deacon, next day, all from Bp. Dubois; ordained Priest, September 19 (Saturday), 1829, in New York City, by Bp. Dubois; consecrated March 10, 1844, in New York City, by Bp. Hughes, assisted by Bp. Fenwick, of Boston, and Bp. Whelan, of Richmond. The sermon by V. Rev. John Power, D.D.

Died April 10, 1848, the 26th anniversary of his sailing from Ireland, in Chicago, of apoplexy.

(From Chicago, quoted from "The Catholic Church in Chicago.")

QUIGLEY, RT. REV. MGR. DANIEL JOSEPH,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of Charleston, S. C.)

Born August 15, 1835, in Lanarkshire, Scotland; ordained May 3, 1866, at Rome, Italy, by Abp. Castellache; named Domestic Prelate, October 13, 1885; invested by Bp. Northrop, January, 1886, at Charleston; was Administrator *Sede Vacante*, of Charleston, February, 1882, till April, 1883.

(From Mgr. Quigley.)

QUIGLEY, RT. REV. JAMES EDWARD, D.D.,

(Bishop of Buffalo, N. Y.)

Born October 15, 1855, at Oshawa, Ontario, Canada; ordained at Rome, Italy, April 13, 1879, by Cardinal Monaco de la Valleta; on May 28, 1879, he took his degree of D.D.; consecrated at Buffalo, N. Y., February 24, 1897, by Abp. Corrigan, assisted by Bp. McQuaid and Bp. McDonnell.

(Verified at Buffalo.)

QUINLAN, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(Mobile, Ala.)

Born October 19, 1826, at Cloyne, Co. Cork, Ireland; ordained August 30, 1852, at Cincinnati, O., by Abp.

Purcell; consecrated at New Orleans, La., December 4, 1859, by Abp. Blanc, assisted by Bp. Elder, of Natchez, and Bishop-Coadjutor Wood, of Philadelphia; sermon by Abp. Purcell.

Died March 9, 1883, at New Orleans, La.

(From Mobile Archives.)

QUINN, RT. REV. MGR. WILLIAM,

(Domestic Prelate, New York City.)

Born near the Village of Ballybofey, Parish of Donoughmore, Co. Donegal, Ireland, May 21, 1820 ⁽¹⁾; ordained — 17, 1845 ⁽²⁾, in the Cathedral of New York, by Coad. Bp. John McCloskey, of New York. In May, 1881, he was made *Private Chamberlain* to the Pope, and in December of the same year Domestic Prelate; it was announced to him at Christmas time, by Cardinal McCloskey; there was no ceremony of Investiture, and he did not wear his *Purple* for many months afterward. On the death of Abp. Purcell, of Cincinnati, Mgr. Quinn's name was proposed for that See.

He died at Paris, France, Friday, April 15, 1887. Buried in New York City, Wednesday, May 18, 1887, from the Cathedral.

(Verified by Fr. L., C.S.S.R.)

(1) "There is no Record of his baptism at his native place; they do not extend back so far."

(Letter to Author.)

(2) Catholic Herald, Philadelphia, January, 1846. It is thought the month was December.

RADEMACHER, RT. REV. JOSEPH, D.D.,

(Nashville, Tenn.)

Born December 3, 1840, at Westphalia, Michigan; ordained August 2, 1863, at Fort Wayne, Ind., by Bp. Luers; consecrated at Nashville, June 24, 1883, by Abp. Feehan, of Chicago, assisted by Bp. Chatard and Bp. Borgess. Translated to Fort Wayne, Ind., as Bishop of that See, June 14, 1893.

(From Bp. Rademacher.)

RAPPE, RT. REV. LOUIS AMADEUS,

(Cleveland, O.)

Born February 2, 1801, at Andrehem, Pas de Calais, St. Omer, France; ordained March 14, 1829, at Arras, France, by Cardinal de la Tour, d'Auvergne Lauragais, Bishop of Arras; consecrated at Cincinnati, O., October 10, 1847, by Bp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. Whelan, of Wheeling (Rev. George Houck, of Cleveland, says there

was but one assistant at the consecration); resigned August 22, 1870; took no Titular See, but went on the Mission as he had before consecration.

Died September 7, 1877, at St. Albans, Vermont.

Parents were Eloi Rappe and Marie Antoinette Noel. He received Tonsure 1821, Sub Deacon, May 21, 1823, Deacon, December 20, 1823; all at the hands of Cardinal de la Tour; came to America in 1840. Bull of appointment to Cleveland, dated April 23, 1847.

(Data per Rev. George Houck, Chancellor of Diocese of Cleveland.)

RAVOUX, RT. REV. Mgr. AUGUSTINE,

(Domestic Prelate.)

Born January 11, 1815, at Langeac, Auvergne, Haute Loire, France; ordained January 5, 1840, at Dubuque, Ia., by Bp. Loras; was elected Vicar Apostolic of Montana, and Titular Bishop of "Limira," i. p. i., on March 3, 1868, but by his letter of July 11, 1868, he declined the Mitre; was appointed Dom. Prelate March 1, 1887, by Rome; was Administrator, *Sede Vacante*, of the See of St. Paul, Minn., from March, 1857 until 1859.

(Date from Mgr. Ravoux.)

REYNOLDS, RT. REV. IGNATIUS ALOYSIUS,

(Charleston, S. C.)

Born August 22, 1798, at Bardstown, Ky.; ordained October 24, 1823, at Baltimore, Md., by Abp. Marechal; consecrated at Cincinnati, O., St. Peters Cathedral, March 19, 1844, Feast of St. Joseph, by Abp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. Miles, of Nashville, and Bp. M. O'Connor, of Pittsburg, Bp. Purcell preaching the sermon.

Died March 9, 1855, at Charleston, S. C.

Hoffmann's Directory gives date of death as March 6.

REZE, RT. REV. FREDERIC, D.D. (¹),

(Bishop of Detroit, Mich.)

Born February 6, 1791 (²), at Vienenberg, Hanover, Diocese of Hildesheim, Germany; ordained, Trinity ordinations, 1822 (³), at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Zurla (⁴), Prefect of Propaganda; appointed Bishop of Detroit, February 25, 1833; consecrated at Cincinnati, Ohio, October 6, 1833 (⁵), by Bp. Rosati, assisted by Bp. Flaget, and Coadjutor Bp. David; retired, no date known, 1837 (⁶).

Died December 30, 1871 (¹), at Hildesheim, Germany, at the Mother House of the Sisters of Charity, and was buried in the Cathedral of that city, on January 1, 1872.

(Letter from the Bishop of Hildesheim.)

(1) The name, usually spelled "Reze" or "Rese," is given in a copy of the baptismal record, sent me by the Bishop of Hildesheim, Germany, as follows: "Reese, John Frederic Conrad, born of John Gottfried Reese, and Caroline Alrutz (Leg. Conj.), born on February 6, 1791 (in loco), Viennenberg, etc." (Letter to Author.)

(2) Mr. E. Andries, of the *Stimme de Warheit*, published at Detroit, who made some searches for this work, at the suggestion of Fr. Cassimir, o. min. Cap., says: "He was born at Hildesheim; he was drafted into military service, and was under General Blucher, as a dragoon, at the battle of Waterloo; he came to the Diocese of Ohio, with Bp. Fenwick, in 1825; he was sent by Dr. Fenwick to Europe, in 1827, to secure German Priests, and money aid; he returned in 1828."

(Letter of Mr. E. Andries)

Father Benedict Niethart, C.S.S.R., in a letter (1896), says Bp. Reese was born in the village of "Wiedelah," near Vienenberg, Diocese of Hildesheim, Hanover.

(3) Date unknown; the supposed time is "Trinity Ordinations."

(Letter, Rev. F. X. R., C.S.S.R., Rome.)

Father Baumgartner, of Detroit, writes, "I can find no Record of Ordination in our Archives."

(4) Name of Ordaining Prelate is correct (Fr. C., O'McC.).

(5) Shea, "Church in U. S.," Vol. III., gives October 3, as date of consecration. Hoffman's "Catholic Directory," gives October 6. The latter is correct; a search and examination made by Rev. Frank O'Brien, and Mgr. Joos, reveals the fact that October 6, is correct. (F. X. R.)

(6) He left his See, suspended from all Episcopal Jurisdiction, being ill from a disease of the brain. He was called to Rome, where he remained until he was removed to the place of his death. The fact that he held the title "Bishop of Detroit" until death, proves that he did not resign (see letter of Bp. Hildesheim); he performed some duties at Rome, where he resided, in the Convent of the Church of San Lorenzo, in Lucina, notably his officiating at the obsequies of the Prince Borghese, in 1841.

(7) Hoffmann's "Catholic Directory," says he died "December 19;" another authority gives "December 27."

It is also stated that he died at Lappenberg, but the Bishop of Hildesheim, gives the latter city as the place of death.

He was the first Bishop in the United States of German birth.

Copy of Letter of Bishop of Hildesheim: "Reverendissimum Dominum Joannem Fredericum Conradum Reese, Ep'm. Detroitensis, esse natum die 6, Februarii, 1791, in loco Vienenburg (Prov. Hanover, Dioceses Hildesheim), et mortuorum die 30, Decembris 1871, in Hildesheim, est filius Joannis Godfredi Reese et uxoris Carolinae natal. Alruts, Anno 1859, mense Aprili hue venit aegrotus et exinde commorabatur in domo matrice Congregationis Sororum Charitatis, Sepultus est in coemeterio Cathedralis nostrae die 1, Januarii, 1872. Inscriptio lapidis, sepulchralis es. Fredericus Reese, Primus Episcopus Diocesis Detroitensis in America, Septentrionali, natus 1791, in Vienenburg, obiit in Hildesheim.

†Wilhelmus, Epis'c. Hildesiensis, June 11, 1896.

Franciscus Xav. Reuss, in Philadelphia.

RICHTER, RT. REV. HENRY JOSEPH, D.D.,

(Grand Rapids, Mich.)

Born April 9, 1838, at Neuenkirchen, Grand Duchy of Oldenburg, Germany; ordained June 10, 1865, at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Patrizzi; consecrated at Grand Rap-

ids, April 22, 1883, by Coadjutor Bishop Elder, assisted by Bp. Borgess, and Bp. McCloskey, of Louisville, Ky.

(Data from Grand Rapids.)

RIORDAN, MT. REV. PATRICK WILLIAM,
(San Francisco.)

Born August 27, 1841, at Chatham, N. B. (British America); ordained June 10, 1865, at Mechlin, Belgium, by Cardinal Engelbert Stercks; consecrated at Chicago, Ill., September 16, 1883, by Abp. Feehan, assisted by Bp. McCloskey, of Louisville, and Bp. Chatard, of Vincennes; Title Bishop of "Cabesa," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to San Francisco; succeeded to See of San Francisco as Archbishop, December 28, 1884; Pallium, September 20, 1885.

(Data from Abp. Riordan.)

ROBOT RT. REV. ISIDORE, O. S. B., D.D.,

(First Prefect Apostolic of Indian Territory.)

Born July 18, 1837, at Tharoiseau, Diocese of Sens, France; entered the O. S. B. in 1859, at the Monastery of Pierre-qui-Vire; made Simple Vows, May 1, 1862; ordained December 20, 1862, at Sens, France, by Mgr. Mellou Joly, D.D.; made Solemn Vows August, 13, 1871, and professed at the Monastery, Ste Marie, Pierre-qui-Vire, in the Diocese of Sens; created Prefect Apostolic by Pope Pius IX., July 9, 1876; Blessed Abbott of Sacred Heart Abbey, Indian Territory, September 1, 1878, by Mgr. Nouvel, Bishop of Quimper, France.

Died February 15 (Tuesday), 1887, at Dallas, Texas.

(All data from Monasteries of "Pierre-qui-Vire" and "Sacred Heart.")

ROSATI, RT. REV. JOSEPH, C.M.,

(St. Louis, Mo.)

Born January 12, 1789 ⁽¹⁾, at Sora, Naples, Italy. Parents, John Rosati and Vienna Soresi; ordained February 10, 1811 ⁽²⁾, at Rome Italy, (probably) by Cardinal Somaglia (no record at all); consecrated at Donaldsonville (then called "Ascension Parish"), La., March 25, 1824 ⁽³⁾, by Bp. Dubourg, of New Orleans, assisted by V. Rev. — Sibourd, V.G., and V. Rev. Anthony Sedalla. Title Bishop of "Tenagre," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to New Orleans; was appointed Bishop of New Orleans on March 14, 1826, but would not accept; transferred to St. Louis, Mo., as First Bishop, March 20, 1827; Administrator of Louisiana, 1826 till 1829.

Died September 25, 1843, at Rome, Italy (while on a visit there).

(1) Birth.—Shea, "Church in U. S.," Vol. III., says: "Born January 13." — Clarke, "Lives of deceased Bishops," Vol. I., p. 353, gives January 30. The French "Cong'n of the Mission," give January 12.

(Letter to the Author.)

(2) A good authority in the Diocese of St. Louis, who made extensive search some years ago, after this date, writes me that there was no record of this ordination at Rome. The Civil (Napoleonic) Government had forbidden the C. M. to have any more Priests ordained for the Order, but that the Holy Father had given permission for that ordination, without having it made known, against any investigation. "It occurred probably in 1814, etc."

(Letter of — —.)

Inquiry and search brought me in correspondence with the Father Superior of the "Mission Mere," Paris, France. The reply is: "He was dispensed of age, and was ordained secretly, February 10, 1811."

(Letter, Mission Mere, C. M. Paris.)

Clarke gives New Orleans as the place, Shea gives Donaldsonville; Father C. M. W., S.J., writes me, "Shea is right; the Bishop at those troublesome times had not possession of his Church at New Orleans (*Sede*), and could not officiate there; he was consecrated at (Donaldsonville), Ascension (annales 1825). The assistants to the consecration were Fathers de la Croix and Saciare; the assistants to Bp. Rosati were (as are usually given), Rev. Sibourd and Rev. Sedalla."

He sailed from Bordeaux, France, June 13, 1816, for America, and landed at Baltimore, Md., on July 26, of the same year.

ROSENCRANS, RT. REV. SYLVESTER HORTON, D.D.,

(Bishop of Columbus, O.)

Born February 5, 1827, at Homer, O.; ordained July 16, 1852, at Rome (Propaganda College), Italy, by the Cardinal Vicar of Rome; consecrated at Cincinnati, O., March 25, 1862, having been elected Titular Bishop of "Pompeiopolis," and Auxiliary to the Bishop of Cincinnati, on December 19, 1861, brief dated December 23, 1861; consecrator, Abp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. Spalding, of Louisville, and Bp. Luers; translated to Columbus, O., as Bishop, March 3, 1868.

Died October 21, 1878, Monday evening, the day following the consecration of the Cathedral, at the Sacred Heart Convent, Columbus, where he had resided for the last two years of his life. Bp. Rosencrans was a convert.

In the distribution of Premiums at the Propaganda, on September 4, 1851, he took Premiums for "Sacred Scripture," "Dogmatic Theology," "Ecclesiastical History," and "Gregorian Music."

(Letter from Rome.)

RYAN, RT. REV. JAMES, D.D.,

(Alton, Ill.)

Born June 17, 1848, at Thurles, Co. Tipperary, Ireland; ordained December 24, 1871, at Louisville, Ky., by Bp. W. G. McCloskey; consecrated at Alton, May 1, 1888, by Bp. Spalding, of Peoria, assisted by Bp. McCloskey, of Louisville, and Bp. Janssen, of Belleville.

(Data supplied by Bp. Ryan.)

RYAN, MT. REV. PATRICK JOHN, D.D.,
(Philadelphia, Pa.)

Born February 20, 1831, at Cloneyharp, near Thurles, Co. Tipperary, Ireland; ordained September 8, 1853, at St. Louis, Mo., by Abp. P. R. Kenrick; consecrated Bishop of "Tricomia," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to St. Louis, Mo., in that city, April 14, 1872, by Abp. P. R. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. Feehan, of Nashville, and Bp. Melcher, promoted Archbishop Coadjutor, and translated to the Titular See of "Salamis" (in Greece), on January 6, 1884; transferred as Archbishop of Philadelphia, June 8, 1884.

(All data from Abp. Ryan.)

RYAN, RT. REV. MGR. ROGER,
(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of Dubuque, Ia.)

Born April 6, 1843, near the town of Kiltuly, Co. Limerick, Ireland; ordained March 13, 1869, at St. Francis' Seminary, Milwaukee, Wis., by Abp. Henni; named Domestic Prelate, March 4, 1896; invested by Abp. Hennessy, at Dubuque, Trinity Sunday, May 31, 1896.

(Data supplied by Mgr. Ryan.)

RYAN, RT. REV. STEPHEN VINCENT, C.M., D.D.,
(Buffalo, N. Y.)

Born January 1, 1825, at Almonte, Ontario, Upper Canada; ordained June 24, 1849, Feast of St. John Baptist, at St. Louis, Mo., by Abp. P. R. Kenrick; consecrated in St. Joseph's Cathedral, Buffalo, November 8, 1868 ⁽¹⁾, by Abp. McCloskey, of New York, assisted by Bp. Loughlin (?) and Bp. McQuaid, and Bp. Conroy, of Albany. Coadjutor Bp. Ryan, of St. Louis, preached.

Died April 10, 1896, at 6:00 o'clock A. M., at Buffalo.

Parents names, Martin Ryan, and Catherine McCarthy. He took the name of Michael in confirmation; was made *Visitor* of the C. M. in 1857, on the anniversary of his ordination.

(1) All data given is from the pen of Bp. Ryan, to the Author. He could not remember any name except Bp. Loughlin, as assistant at his consecration. Rev. J. E. Quigley, of Buffalo Diocese, gave me the names of Bps. McQuaid and Conroy, adding that Rev. Francis McNierney (later Bishop of Albany), was Master of Ceremonies. (F. X. R.)

SALPOINTE, MT. REV. JOHN BAPTIST, D.D.,
(Santa Fe, New Mexico.)

Born February 21, 1825, at St. Maurice, France; ordained December 20, 1851, at Clermont, Ferrand, France, by Mgr. Louis Charles Feron; consecrated at the same place, June 20, 1869, by Mgr. Feron, assisted by Bp. Lebreton, of Le Puy, France, and Bp. Dubuis, of Gal-

veston, U. S. A., having been elected Bishop of "Doryla," i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of Arizona; brief dated September 25, 1868. On April 22, 1884, he was made Coadjutor to the Archbishop of Santa Fe; on October 3, 1884 ('), promoted Titular Archbishop of "Anazarba;" succeeded to the See of Santa Fe July 18, 1885; resigned January 7, 1894; received the Title "Archbishop of 'Tomi,' i. p. i.," January 21, 1894. He retired to Busieres, Pruns, Paraigneperse, Puy de Dome, France, where he resides (1896).

(All data from Mgr. Salpointe.)

(1) The Catholic Directory, 1896, gives "October 11."

SATOLI, H. E., MT. REV. FRANCIS, CARDINAL AND APOSTOLIC DELEGATE, U. S.,

Born July 21, 1839, at Marciano, Diocese of Perugia, Italy; ordained June 14, 1862, at Perugia, by Cardinal Pecci (now Pope Leo XIII.); consecrated Archbishop of "Lepanto," i. p. i., at Rome, July 10, 1888, by Cardinal Rafael Monaco, La Valletto, assisted by Cardinal Angelo Bianchi, and Mgr. Pirotti, Bishop of Aquino. He was appointed (Permanent) Apostolic Delegate to the U. S., January 14, 1893; created Cardinal November 27, 1895; invested with the Beretta by Cardinal Gibbons, at Baltimore, on Sunday, January 5, 1896; last day of service as Archbishop Delegate, October 4, 1896; leaves U. S. October 17, 1896; received the Red Hat, Rome, December 3, 1896.

(All data supplied by His Eminence, in 1896.)

SCANLAN, RT. REV. LAWRENCE, D.D.,
(Salt Lake, Utah.)

Born September 28, 1843, at Ballintarsna, Co. Tipperary, Ireland; ordained June 24, 1868, in All Hallows College, Dublin, Ireland, by Bishop Whelan, of Bombay; consecrated in St. Mary's Cathedral, San Francisco, June 29, 1887, having been appointed January 25, 1887, Bishop of "Lavenden," i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of Utah; Consecrator Archbishop Riordan, assisted by Bp. O'Connell (retired), of "Joppa," i. p. i., and Bp. Manogue, of Sacramento; on January 30, 1891, he was transferred as First Bishop of Salt Lake.

(Data supplied by Bp. Scanlan.)

SCANNELL, RT. REV. RICHARD, D.D.,
(Bishop of Omaha, Neb.)

Born May 12, 1845, at Cloyne, Co. Cork, Ireland; ordained February 26, 1871, at the Carmelite Church, Dublin, Ireland, by Rt. Rev. John Francis Whelan,

Bishop of "Aureliopolis," i. p. i. (formerly Bishop of Bombay, India); consecrated at Nashville, Tenn., in St. Mary's Church, November 30, 1887, by Abp. Feehan, assisted by Bp. McCloskey, of Louisville, Ky., and Bp. Rademacher, of Nashville, having been appointed Bishop of Concordia, Kansas, August 9, 1887; transferred to Omaha, January 30, 1891; was Administrator *Sede Vacante*, of Nashville, October 6, 1880, till June 24, 1883

(All data from Bp. Scannell.)

SCHWEBACH, RT. REV. JAMES, D.D.,

(La Crosse, Wis.)

Born August 15, 1847, at Bettborn, Grand Duchy of Luxemburg; ordained on Corpus Christi, June 16, 1870, at St. Paul, Minn., by Bp. T. L. Grace; consecrated in St. Joseph's Cathedral, La Crosse, February 25, 1892, by Abp. Katzer, assisted by Bp. Janssen, of Belleville, and Bp. Cotter; was Administrator *Sede Vacante* of La Crosse, after death of Bp. Flasch.

(Data from Bp. Schwebach.)

SEGHERS, MT. REV. CHARLES JOHN, D.D.,

(Oregon City, Oregon.)

Born December 26, 1839, at Ghent, Belgium; ordained May 30, 1863, at Mechlin, Belgium, by Cardinal Engelbert Stercks, of Mechlin; consecrated at Victoria, Vancouver Island (B. Col.), June 29, 1873, by Abp. F. N. Blanchet, assisted by Bp. A. M. A. Blanchet, and Bp. Louis Joseph, D'Herbomez, O. M. I., Vicar Apostolic of the Northwest Territory, Canada. He had been elected Bishop of Vancouver Island, translated Titular Bishop of "Emisa," and made Coadjutor to the Archbishop of Oregon City, on December 10, 1878; succeeded to the Archbishopric of Oregon City, on December 20, 1880; resigned December 3, 1884, and was returned to Vancouver as Bishop of that See, retaining the title, Archbishop Bishop; was murdered by his servant, at Nulato, Alaska, while on a Mission, on November 28, 1886 (')..

(From Diocesan Archives.)

The body was taken by the two Indian guides, to Fort St. Michael, where it was temporarily buried July 6, 1887; disinterred September 11, 1888, put on board the U. S. warship "Thetis," and taken to Victoria, V. I., where it was buried under the Cathedral, on November 16, 1888.

SEIDENBUSH, RT. REV. RUPERT, O.S.B.

Born October 13, 1830, at Munich, Bavaria; ordained June 22, 1853, at St. Vincent's Abbey, Pennsylvania, by Bp. M. O'Connor, of Pittsburg; professed O.S.B., January 6, 1852, at St. Vincent's Abbey, Pennsylvania;

Blessed Abbot of St. Louis (now St. John's) Abbey, May 30, 1867, by Bp. G. A. Carrell, of Covington; resigned as Abbot, May 4, 1875; consecrated Bishop of "Halia," i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of North Minnesota, on May 30, 1875, at St. Cloud, Minn., by Bp. Heiss, of La Crosse, assisted by Bp. Dwenger, of Fort Wayne, and Bp. Fink, O.S.B., of Kansas; resigned October 19, 1888; kept his Titular See of "Halia."

Died June 3, 1895, at Richmond, Va.

All data received and corrected by Bp. Seidenbush, two months before his death. (F. X. R.)

Ordained 1853; from then until 1855 he visited Greensburg, Ligonier, and Heyman's in Westmoreland County, with headquarters at St. Vincent's Abbey; 1855, at St. Mary's Elk County, Pa.; 1857 at Newark, N. J., where he built the church; 1862, at the Abbey, where he was elected Prior; 1866, he was at St. John's, Minn., which was made an Abbey, and he was elected Abbot, December 12, 1886. This was confirmed by Rome, on March 15, 1867.

SETON, RT. REV. MGR. ROBERT, D.D.,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of Newark, N. J.)

Born August 28, 1839, at Pisa, Italy (parentage, New York City); ordained Holy Saturday, April 15, 1865, at St. John Lateran, Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Patrizzi; named Monsignor and Prot. Apostolic, August, 1867, at Rome. "There is no investiture in Rome. The appointed Monsignor procures his Purple Vesture, and obtains an audience of the Pope; thanks him for the honor."

(MS. of Mgr. Seton to Author.)

SHANAHAN, RT. REV. JEREMIAH FRANCIS, D.D.,

(Harrisburg, Pa.)

Born July 13, 1834 ⁽¹⁾, at Silver Lake, Susquehanna Co., Pa.; ordained on July 3, 1859, at Philadelphia, Pa., by Bp. Neumann; consecrated ⁽²⁾ at Philadelphia, July 12, 1868, by Bp. Wood, assisted by Bp. Elder, of Natchez, and Bp. Domenec.

Died at Harrisburg, September 24, 1886.

(From Family Record.)

(1) He was baptized at the house of Edward White; Mary Ann Griffin was Godmother.

(Letter of Rev. B. O'Reilly to Bp. S. V. Ryan, in *Cath. Union and Times*, of Dec. 23, '86.)

(2) Appointed by Rome, March 3, 1868.

SHANLEY, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(Jamestown, N. D.)

Born January 4, 1852, at Albion, N. Y.; ordained May 30, 1874, at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Patrizzi; consecra-

ted at St. Paul, Minn., December 27, 1889, by Abp. Ireland, assisted by Abp. (Titular) Grace and Bp. Marty.

(Data supplied by Bp. Marty.)

The See has been changed to "Fargo," N. D.

SMYTHE, RT. REV. CLEMENT' (TIMOTHY) Trappist, D.D.

Born January 24, 1810 (1), at the Townland of Finlea, near Killaloe, Co. Claire, Ireland; ordained Pentacost, 1841 (Saturday, May 29), in Waterford, Ireland, by Bp. Nicholas Foran, of Waterford; consecrated at St. Louis, Mo., May 3, 1857, by Abp. P. R. Kenrick, of St. Louis, assisted by Bp. Henni, of Milwaukee, and Bp. O'Regan, of Chicago; Title, Bishop of "Thanasis," i. p. i., and Coadjutor of Dubuque, Iowa; succeeded to the See of Dubuque, as Bishop on February 20, 1858; was Administrator of the Vacant See of Chicago, from May 3, 1858 (date of Bp. O'Regan's resignation).

Died September 22, 1865, at Dubuque, Ia.

(1) Birth and ordination data from Mt. Melleray (Trappist Convent), Ireland.

He was the son of Cornelius Smythe and Mary Malony.

Received the Habit, October 7, 1838; professed, November 1, 1839.

Sources of data, from the Trappist Abbeys New Melleray, Iowa, Mt. Melleray, Ireland, Gethsamene, Ky.

SPALDING, RT. REV. JOHN LANCASTER, D.D.

Born June 2, 1840, at Lebanon, Ky.; ordained December 19, 1863, at Mechlin, Belgium, by Cardinal Engelbert Stercks; consecrated in New York City, May 1, 1877, by Cardinal McCloskey, assisted by Bp. Foley, of Chicago, and Bp. Gibbons, of Richmond.

(Data supplied by Bp. Spalding.)

SPALDING, MT. REV. MARTIN JOHN, D.D.,

(Baltimore, Md.)

Born of Richard and Henrietta (Hamilton) Spalding, on May 23, 1810, near Lebanon, Marion Co., Ky.; received Sub Deaconate August 3, 1834; Deacon, August 10; ordained priest, August 13, 1834, by special dispensation at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Charles Marcel, Pendicini; consecrated at Bardstown, Ky., September 10, 1848, by Bp. Flaget, assisted by Bp. Kenrick, of Philadelphia, and Bp. Miles, being then Bishop of "Lengone," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to Bardstown, Ky. (1). Bp. England did not arrive until after the sermon, at one o'clock P. M. Bp. Spalding succeeded to the See of Bardstown, Louisville, on February 11, 1850; translated to Baltimore as Archbishop, May 3, 1864.

Died February 7, 1872, at Baltimore; was Administrator, *Sede Vacante*, of Bardstown, after death of Bp. Chabrat.

(From Life of Abp. Spalding; Webb's Catholicity in Ky.; Sisters of Nazareth, Ky.)

(1) The three names sent to Rome for the selection were Father McElroy who was over 60 years of age, Dr. M. J. Spalding, and Rev. J. F. Wood, later Bishop of Philadelphia.

STEPHAN, RT. REV. MGR. JOSEPH A.,

(Dom. Prel.)

Born November 22, 1822, at Gissigheim, Baden; ordained March 19, 1850 (St. Joseph's Day), at Cincinnati, O., by Abp. Purcell; named Domestic Prelate, March 9, 1895; invested at Santa Fe, New Mexico, by Abp. Chapelle.

(From Bp. Stephan.)

ST. PALAIS, RT. REV. JAMES MAURICE DE LONG D'AUSSAC.

Born November 15, 1811, at La Salvatat, Diocese Montpelier, France; ordained May 28, 1836 (Ember Saturday), at Paris, France, by Mgr. de Quelin, Archbishop of Paris; he was preconised October 3, 1848; consecrated at Vincennes, Ind., January 14, 1849, by Bp. Miles, of Nashville, assisted by Bp. Spalding, of Louisville, and V. Rev. Hypolite Dupontavice, of Madison, Ind.; Bp. Spalding preached; Title Bishop of Vincennes, Ind.

Died June 28, 1877, at St. Mary's, Vigo Co., Ind.; was Administrator, *Sede Vacante*, 1848-49.

Bishop Miles had as chaplains, Fathers Corbe, Dedier and Dunduck; Bishop Spalding had as chaplains, Fathers Clarke and Murphy; Bishop Elect St. Palais had as chaplains, Fathers John McDermott and M. Boyle.

(From Paris, per letter to author from Vincennes.)

STRAIN, RT. REV. MGR. PATRICK,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese of Boston.)

Born November 27, 1822, Derrydummock, near Banbridge, Co. Down, Ireland; came to the United States in 1842, studied in the S.S. College at Montreal, Canada; from there he went to the college at St. Hyacinthe, Canada. In 1847 he entered the seminary of S.S. at Paris, France, where he was ordained in the Church of Notre Dame, by Abp. Sibour, of Paris, 1850, Trinity ordinations; on February 17, 1887, he was made V. Rev. Mgr. (Dom. Chaplain); in 1891, he was made Rt. Rev. Monsignor (Dom. Prelate); invested in both cases by Abp. Williams, of Boston.

Died at St. Mary's Church, Lynn, Mass., Tuesday, February 7, 1893, at five o'clock P. M.

SULLIVAN, RT. REV. MGR. JOHN T.,

(Domestic Prelate, Wheeling, W. Va.)

Born July 15, 1834, at Castleisland, Co. Kerry, Ireland; ordained April 23, 1858, at Wheeling, W. Va., by Bp. Carrell, of Covington; named Private Chamberlain of His Holiness, March 8, 1883; announced April 26, 1883; named Domestic Prelate, March 31, 1885; announced May 23, 1885; Administrator, *Sede Vacante*, of the Diocese of Wheeling, August 10, 1893. Celebrated his Silver Jubilee April 26, 1883.

(Furnished by Mgr. Sullivan.)

THORPE, RT. REV. MGR. THOMAS PATRICK,

(Domestic Prelate, Cleveland.)

Born February 20, 1838, near Dublin, Ireland; ordained June 30, 1861, at Cleveland, O., by Bp. Rappe, of Cleveland; created Domestic Prelate by brief of H. H. Leo. XIII., August 7, 1895; invested by Bp. Horstmann on September 30, 1895; had been made "Chamberlain," January 24, 1891. All ceremonies being at Cleveland.

(Data from Mgr. Thorpe.)

TIERNEY, RT. REV. MICHAEL, D.D.,

(Hartford, Conn.)

Born September 29, 1839, at Ballylooby, Co. Tipperary, Ireland; ordained May 26, 1866, at St. Joseph's Seminary, Troy, New York, by Bp. Conroy, of Albany; consecrated at Hartford, Conn., February 22, 1894, by Abp. Williams, of Boston, assisted by Bp. Harkins, of Providence, and Bp. Beaven, of Springfield.

(Data from Bp. Tierney.)

TIMON, RT. REV. JOHN, C.M., D.D.,

(Buffalo, N. Y.)

Born February 12, 1797, at Conewago, Pa.; ordained June, 1825 ⁽¹⁾, at "The Barrens," Diocese St. Louis, Mo., by Bp. Rosati; consecrated in Cathedral, New York City, October 17, 1847, by Bp. Hughes, assisted by Bp. Walshe, of Halifax, N. S., and Bp. McCloskey, of Albany, Bp. Kenrick, of Philadelphia, preaching the sermon; was installed in St. Louis' church, Buffalo, October 25, 1847, by Bp. Hughes, Bp. Walshe, and Bp. McCloskey; sermon by Bp. Hughes.

Died at Buffalo, April 16, 1867.

(Data from Bp. S. V. Ryan.)

(1) No date can be found (letter of Bp. S. V. Ryan to author). The parents were John and Margaret (Ledd) Timon (Ib.). June is generally

supposed to be the month, by all the C. M. Houses, also from University of St. Louis. (Letters from Fathers of the C. M.)

Bp. Timon had been named Pref. Apostolic of Texas, in April, 1840, but refused. (Life of Bp. Timon.)

**TOEBBE, RT. REV. AUGUST BERNARD ANTHONY
JOHN GEBHARD, (Covington, Ky.)**

Born January 15, 1829 ⁽¹⁾, at Meppen, Hanover, Germany; ordained September 14, 1854, by Bp. Purcell, at Cincinnati, O.; consecrated at St. Philomena's Church, Cincinnati, O., on January 9, 1870, by Bp. Rosencrans, assisted by Bp. Luers, and Bp. Feehan.

Died May 2, 1884, at Covington, Ky.

(1) Son of Henry Toebe (Inn keeper) and Maria Balte, his wife. Baptized at Meppen, January 17, 1829; Sponsors, Bernard Schazemann, and Angela Schmig; confirmed August 5, 1843, by Bp. Charles Anthony Luepke, Auxiliary Bishop of Osnabrück.

(Archives Covington.)
(Archives Cincinnati.)

**TONER, RT. REV. MGR. PATRICK JOSEPH,
(Domestic Prelate.)**

Born June 10, 1843, at Skeriff Touchburn, Lower Creggan, Co. Armagh, Ireland; ordained July 3, 1859, at Philadelphia, Pa., by Bp. Neumann; left America in May 1877, and was appointed in Rome, Missionary Apostolic; named Domestic Prelate on the occasion of the Golden Jubilee of H. H. Leo XIII. In 1896, by special document from the Honorable, the Secretary of the Navy, U. S. A., he was commissioned Missionary Chaplain with permission to "board" all United States Men of War in the Mediterranean Sea, for Spiritual welfare of Catholics on board.

Died suddenly at the Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia, from heat prostration, on Saturday, September 11, 1897; buried in St. Mary's Church vault.

(Data from Mgr. Toner.)

See Reuss' "St. Peter's Church, Columbia, Pa." in Records American Catholic Historical Society.

TOSI, RT. REV. PASCAL, S. J.

Born April 25, 1835, at Rimini, Italy; ordained Saturday before Trinity Sunday, (May 26), 1861, at Bertinoro, Italy, by Mgr. Peter Buffeti, of Bertinoro; created Prefect Apostolic of Alaska, U. S., July 24, 1894.

(Data from Bp. Tosi.)

**TROBEC, RT. REV. JAMES, D.D.,
(St. Cloud, Minn.)**

Born at Billichgraz, Carniola, Austria, July 10, 1838; ordained Sub Deacon and Deacon, August, 1865, Priest,

September 8, 1865, all at the hands of Bp. Grace, of St. Paul, in that city; elected Bishop July 5, 1897; consecrated Bishop of St. Cloud, Minn., at St. Paul, September 21, 1897, by Mt. Rev. John Ireland, assisted by Mt. Rev. F. X. Katzer, and Rt. Rev. John Vertin; sermon by Bp. Cotter; installed at Cathedral, St. Cloud, September 28, 1897, by Abp. Ireland; present were Bps. Shanley, McGolrick and Cotter, also Mgr. J. P. Bauer.

TYJIGG, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(Pittsburg, Pa.)

Born February 19, 1820, at Cork, Ireland; ordained May 14, 1850, at Pittsburg, Pa., by Rt. Rev. Michael O'Connor, of Pittsburg; consecrated in that city, March 19, 1876, by Abp. Wood, assisted by Bp. Shanahan and Bp. Mullen was Administrator *Sede Vacante* of Allegheny, until the suppression of that See.

Died December 7, 1889.

(Data from Bps. Mullen and Phelan.)

TYLER, RT. REV. WILLIAM, D.D.

(Hartford, Conn.)

Born June 5, 1806, at Derby, Vt.; ordained December 23, 1828, at Boston, Mass., by Bp. Fenwick, of that See; consecrated March 17, 1844, having been appointed Bishop of Hartford, November 18, 1843, in Boston, by Bp. Fenwick, assisted by Bp. Whelan, of Richmond, and Bp. Byrne, of Little Rock. Bp. Tyler was a convert.

Died at Providence, R. I., June 18, 1849.

(Data from Abp. Williams, and Bp. Goesbriand.)

VAN DE VELDE, RT. REV. JAMES OLIVER, S.J., D.D.,

(Chicago—Natchez.)

Born April 3, 1795, near Termonde, Belgium; ordained September 25, 1827, in the Cathedral at Baltimore, Md., by Abp. Marechal; consecrated at St. Louis, Mo., February 11, 1849, by Abp. P. R. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. Loras, and Bp. Miles; Bp. Spalding, of Louisville, preached; translated to the See of Natchez, Miss., July 29, 1853; installed, December 13, 1853.

Died at Natchez, November 13, 1855.

VAN DE VYVER, RT. REV. AUGUSTINE, D.D.,

(Bishop of Richmond.)

Born December 1, 1844, at Haesdonck, East Flanders, Belgium; ordained July 24, 1870, in the private chapel, at Brussels, Belgium, by the Papal Nuncio; consecrated

at Richmond, Va., October 20, 1889, by His Eminence Cardinal Gibbons, assisted by Bp. Kain, of Wheeling, assisted by Bp. Haid, of North Carolina.

(Data from Bp. Van de Vyver.)

VERDAGUER, RT. REV. PETER, D.D.,

(Vicar Apostolic of Brownsville, Texas.)

Born December 10, 1835, at San Pedro de Torrello, Cataluna, Spain; ordained December 12, 1862, at San Francisco, California, by Bp. Amat of Monterey, Cal.; consecrated at Barcelona, Spain, November 9, 1890, by Bp. Jaime Calala y' Albora, assisted by Bp. Jose Morgades y' Gili, of Vich, and Bp. S. Mesagu y' Costa, of Lerida; received the title Bishop of "Aulon," i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of Brownsville, Texas, by brief dated Rome, July 3, 1890; installed May 21, 1891.

(Data from Bp. Verdaguer.)

VEROT, RT. REV. JEAN MARCELLUS PIERRE AUGUSTE, S.S. D.D.,

Born May 23, 1805 ⁽¹⁾, at Le Puy, Haute Loire, France; ordained September 20, 1828 ⁽²⁾, at Paris, France, by Mgr. de Quelin, Archbishop of Paris, in his private Chapel; consecrated at Baltimore, Md., April 25, 1853, by Abp. F. P. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. John McGill, and Bp. John Barry; title, Bishop of "Danaba," i. p. i., and Vicar Apostolic of Florida; translated to Savannah, Ga., July, 1861; Bishop Administrator of Florida, until 1866; translated to St. Augustine, Fla., March 11, 1870.

Died Saturday, June 10, 1876 (Ember week), at St. Augustine, Fla., on the anniversary of his ordination to the Deaconate.

(1) The date of birth is from the Annals of S. Sulpice, France, received after a correspondence with Dr. Verot's nephew. O'Connell, "Catholicity in Carolinas and Georgia," p. 543, gives 1804 as the year.

(2) Ordained, by dispensation of age, copy of record from Mgr., the Archbishop of Paris, (1895). "dispens, supo. def. oetatis ex indulto, June 24, 1827, par Mgr. de Quelin."

Father Hugon, nephew of the Bishop, says, "The only thing I know positively, is, that I heard my mother say that she was born in 1809, and that he was four years older * * * * *; (?) he came to this country about two years after ordination, as a teacher for the then SS. College * * * *. It is a strange thing that most of our Priests, and Sisters die during the Ember week. The Bishop died during the September Ember week."

This is an error, he died during June Ember week. (F. X. R.)

VERTIN, RT. REV. JOHN, D.D.,

(Marquette, Mich.)

Born February 17, 1844, at Doblice Parice, Carnolia,

Diocese of Leybach; ordained at Marquette, August 31, 1866, being the first priest ordained in that city, by Bp. Baraga; consecrated at Neegaunee, Mich., September 14, 1879, by Bp. Coadjutor Heiss, assisted by Bp. Borgess, and Bp. J. L. Spalding.

(Data from Bp. Vertin.)

WADHAMS, RT. REV. EDGAR PHILIP, D.D.,
(Ogdensburg, N. Y.)

Born May 17, 1817 ⁽¹⁾, at Lewes, Essex Co., N. Y.; ordained January 15, 1850, at the pro cathedral, Albany, N. Y., by Bp. McCloskey, of Albany; consecrated in same city, May 5, 1872, by Abp. McCloskey of New York, assisted by Bp. Williams, of Boston, and Bp. de Goesbriand. Bp. Wadhams was a convert.

Died at Ogdensburg, December 5, 1891.

(1) Hoffmann's Directory gives May 21, as date of birth. The date given in the text is from the official records of the Diocese, sent me by Dr. Wadhams himself.

WATTERSON, RT. REV. JOHN AMBROSE, D.D.,
(Columbus, Ohio.)

Born May 27, 1844, at Bairdstown ⁽¹⁾, Westmoreland Co., Pa., of John Sylvester and Sarah (McAfee) Watterson; ordained August 9, 1868, at St. Vincent's Abbey, (O. S. B.) Pa., by Bp. Domenec, of Pittsburg; consecrated in St. Joseph's Cathedral, Columbus, O., August 8, 1880, having been appointed by Rome, March 14, 1880; consecrator Abp. Elder, assisted by Bp. McCloskey, of Louisville, and Bp. Tuigg; sermon by Bp. Fitzgerald.

(Data from Bp. Watterson.)

(1) It is generally given out that the Bishop was born at Blairsville. This arises out of the fact that the two places are separated only by the Conemaugh river, and were practically called by the latter name.

(Letter of A. V. D. Watterson, Esq., to Author.)

WHELAN, RT. REV. JAMES, O.P., D.D.,
(Nashville, Tenn.)

Born December 8, 1823 ⁽¹⁾, at Kilkenny, Ireland; ordained August 2, 1846 ⁽²⁾, at the Dominican Convent, Somerset, O., by Abp. Purcell; consecrated at St. Louis, Mo., May 8, 1859 ⁽³⁾, by Abp. P. R. Kenrick, assisted by Bp. Juncker, and Bp. Miede; Bp. Smythe preached the sermon; his title was Bishop of "Marcopolis," and Coadjutor to the Bishop of Nashville; succeeded to the See of Nashville, February 21, 1860; resigned by letter dated in February, 1864; accepted in September of the same year, when he was appointed Bishop of "Diocletianopolis," i. e., which he (probably) declined.

Died suddenly, February 20, 1878 (¹), at the Dominican Convent, at Zanesville, Ohio.

(1) O'Connell, "Catholicity in Carolinas, etc.," says he was born in Dublin; also that he was ordained 1850.

(2) Some of the Fathers, O. P., give 1847 as year ordained, but by a letter of November 30, 1895, from the O. P. Monastery, Somerset, O., the date is discovered to be as given, August 2, 1846. He was ordained Deacon the same day, both orders at the St. Joseph's Monastery. He joined the O. P. at Springfield, Ky., in 1839.

(3) This data has been variously given; one account gives Bps. Smythe and O'Gorman as assistants. The names as given in the text are taken from a lately discovered letter, which also establishes the date of ordination. This letter, written by Rev. A. O. Walker, O.P., states that Dr. Whelan was ordained on the same day on which he (Walker) was made Sub Deacon, August 2, 1846. The letter quotes from a letter (also produced) of Dr. Whelan, regarding his receipt of the brief of appointment as Bishop, of which the following is a copy. After telling how "one day while coming out of class I was surprised by being handed some documents from Rome * * * *", being a Bull of appointment to Coadjutorship * * * *." That first does now bear the following endorsement:

[Manus Consecratoris in Rev'mo. Patre Jacobo Whelan, in Ecclesia Cathedralis St. Ludovico, die Festi apparitionis S. Michaelis Archangela de nempe octavo Maii † Petrus Ricardus, Archiep. St. Ludovici, Consecrator; † Joannes Baptista, Ep. "Messemensis;" † Henry Damianus, Ep. Altonensis.]

(4) This new title is from Gams, "Series Ep'm." I can find no other authority for it. If he did not hold it afterwards, he probably declined any title. This it seems was the case, as his brethren in the Order say he had no Episcopal title after returning to the Monastery.

WHELAN, RT. REV. RICHARD VINCENT, D.D.,

Born January 28, 1809, at Baltimore, Md. (¹); ordained May 1, 1831, at Versailles, France, by Mgr. de Quelen, of Paris; consecrated at Baltimore, Md., March 21, 1841, by Abp. Eccleston, assisted by Bp. Fenwick, of Boston, and Bp. Hughes of New York; title, Bishop of Richmond, sermon by Rev. Alexander L. Hitzelberger (S. J.); translated to Wheeling, W. Va., at his own request July 23, 1850. He was the Senior Bishop in the United States at the time of his death.

Died July 7, 1874, at St. Agnes Hospital, Baltimore.

(1) Parents David Whelan, and Sarah Maccubbin.

There seems to be no available record of his consecration. Search made at Baltimore, Richmond and Wheeling, bring the one reply: "No data." John T. Riley made search in vain; Mgr. Sullivan did the same. The numbers of clergy and religious houses in the diocese have no account of it. There is no account of it in the Baltimore "Sun," "Freeman's Journal" "Miscellany," "Advocate," nor in many other papers examined. Bishop Hughes and Bishop Fenwick were the only bishops present at the time. They with Bishop Whelan received their titles of D.D. at the same time shortly after Dr. Whelan's consecration. They were also consecrator and assistants at the consecration of Bishop McCloskey, of New York. They had always been the best of friends and associates in all episcopal ceremonies when possible.

WHITFIELD, MT. REV. JAMES, D.D.,

(Archbishop of Baltimore.)

Born November 3, 1770 ⁽¹⁾, at Liverpool, England; ordained July 24, 1809 ⁽²⁾, in the Primatial Church, Lyons, France, by Mgr. Simon, Bishop of Grenoble. He was appointed (March 28, 1828) Titular Bishop of "Appolonia," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to Abp. Marechal, who died before the consecration. He was therefore consecrated Archbishop of Baltimore, in that city, May 25, 1828, by Bishop Flaget, assisted by Bishop Dubois, and Bp. Conwell.

Died at Baltimore, October 19, 1834.

(1) From Archives of the Diocese of Lyons, France.

(2) From same Archives, both by letter from His Grace the Archbishop of Lyons, who writes: "He received Tonsure and minor orders (dimissoire du Cardinal Caprara, residant à Paris) July 24, 1808, at the hands of Cardinal Fesch, Archbishop of Lyons. On July 22, 1809, he received Sub Deaconate, the next day made Deacon, and the following day ordained priest, at the hands of Mgr. Simon."

(Letter to author dated March 12, 1896.)

WIGGER, RT. REV. WINAND MICHAEL, D.D.,

(Newark, N. J.)

Born December 9, 1841, in New York City; ordained June 10, 1865, at Genoa, Italy, by Abp. Andrew Charves, of Genoa; consecrated at Newark, October 18, 1881, by Abp. Corrigan, assisted by Bp. Loughlin, and Bp. McQuaid.

(Data from Bp. Wigger.)

WILLIAMS, MT. REV. JOHN JOSEPH, D.D.,

Born April 27, 1822, at Boston, Mass.; ordained May 17, 1845, at Paris, France, by Mgr. Auguste Affre, Archbishop of Paris; consecrated at Boston, Mass., March 11, 1866, by Abp. McCloskey, of New York, assisted by Bp. Loughlin, of Brooklyn, and Bp. Conroy, of Albany; Title Bishop of Boston. He was appointed Bishop of "Tripoli," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to Boston, but by the death of Bp. Fitzpatrick, before the consecration, he succeeded by brief of appointment, "Cum Jure. Succ.;" promoted Archbishop of Boston, February 12, 1875.

(Data from Abp. Williams.)

John O'Kane Murray, "Popular history of Catholic Church in the U. S.," speaks of him as being consecrated Coadjutor; this, however, is an error.

**WIMMER, RT. REV. ABBOT BONIFACE (SEBASTIAN),
O. S. B.**

Born January 14, 1809, at Thalmassing, Bavaria; ordained August 1, 1831, at Regensburg, Bavaria, by Bp.

Johann Michael Sailer; entered O. S. B., July 31, 1831; solemn profession at St. Michael's Monastery, at Metten, Bavaria, December 29, 1833; came to St. Vincent's, October 16, 1846; founded the Abbey, September 29, 1847, superior of the Abbey, October 24, 1846, till August 17, 1855, when he was created Abbot and Præses (not blessed); confirmed in perpetuity, by brief of July 27, 1866; Arch Abbot, December 29, 1883.

Died December 8, 1887, at St. Vincent's Abbey, Pa.

(Data from St. Vincent's Abbey.)

WINDTHORST, RT. REV. MGR. ERNESTUS M.,

(Domestic Prelate, Diocese Cincinnati, O.)

Born June 18, 1846, at Munster, Westphalia, Germany; ordained June 2, 1871, at Cincinnati, O., by Abp. Wood; proclaimed Domestic Prelate by brief dated Rome, January 12, 1888; invested in the purple at Chillicothe, O., by Abp. Elder, May 28, 1888.

(Data from Mgr. Windthorst.)

WOOD, MT. REV. JAMES FREDERICK, D.D.,

(Philadelphia, Pa.)

Born April 27, 1813, at Philadelphia; ordained March 25, 1844, at Rome, Italy, by Cardinal Franzoni; consecrated at Cincinnati, O., April 26, 1857; Bishop of "Antigone," i. p. i., and Coadjutor to Philadelphia, by Bp. Purcell, assisted by Bp. Neumann and Bp. Whelan, of Wheeling; succeeded as Bishop of Philadelphia, January 5, 1860; promoted Archbishop June 17, 1875. ▲bp. Wood was a convert.

Died Wednesday evening, June 20, 1883, at 11:15 P. M. at Philadelphia.

(Philadelphia Archives.)

YOUNG, RT. REV. JOSUE MOODY, D.D.

Born October 29, 1808, at Shapleigh, Me.; ordained Deacon November 22, 1837; Priest, Passion Sunday, April 1, 1838, by Bp. Purcell, in the old Cathedral on Sycamore street, Cincinnati, present site of St. Xavier's Jesuit College. The Diocese of Pittsburg was divided July 27, 1853, and Bp. O'Connor was, on his own recommendation, transferred to the new See of Erie, and Dr. Young was appointed to the See of Pittsburg; this was reversed on petition of Dr. O'Connor; consecrated Bishop of Erie, Pa., on April 23, 1854⁽¹⁾, by Bp. John B. Purcell, of Cincinnati, assisted by Bp. Spalding, of Louisville, and Bp. Rappe, of Cleveland; sermon by Bp. O'Connor, of Pittsburg.

Died suddenly, September 18, 1866, at Erie, Pa. Requiem celebrated by Bp. Rappe; sermon by Bp. Domenec, of Pittsburg.

Bp. Young was a convert from "Congregational" sect. In October, 1828, when he changed his name from Josue Moody to Josue Mary, on the occasion of his baptism (sub conditione) by Rev. Charles D. French.

(1) The Chaplains to the Bishops were: For Bp. Elect Young, Rev. S. H. Rosencrans; for Bp. Spalding, Rev. Charles Boeswald, of Louisville; for Bp. Rappe, Rev. Philip Foley, of Detroit. He was installed May 7, 1854. (All data supplied by Bp. Tuigg, Bp. Mullen, and Abp. Elder.)

ZARDETTI, RT. REV. JOHN JOSEPH FREDERIC OTTO, D.D.,

(St. Cloud, Minn.)

Born January 24, 1847, at Rorsbach, St. Gall, Switzerland; ordained August 21, 1870, at Trent, Switzerland, by Bp. Benedict de Riccabone, of Trent; consecrated in the O. S. B. Monastery, Einsiedeln, Switzerland, October 20, 1889, by Abp. Heiss (traveling in Europe), assisted by Mgr. Greith of St. Gall, and the Bishop of Basel, Switzerland; translated to the Archiepiscopal See of "Mocissus," Bucharest, Roumania, in December 1894; resides at Rome, 1897; June 3, 1897, appointed a consultor of the congregation of extraordinary Ecclesiastical affairs.

(All data from Bp. Zardetti and Bp. Marty, O.S.B.)

ZEININGER, RT. REV. MGR. AUGUST,

(Domestic Prelate, diocese Milwaukee.)

Born May 21, 1846, at Linz, Austria; ordained December 19, 1868, at Seminary, St. Francis de Sales, Milwaukee, Wis., by Bp. Henni; named Domestic Prelate, June 2, 1888; invested September, 1888, in Milwaukee, by Abp. Heiss.

(From Mgr. Zeininger.)

ZILLIOX, RT. REV. ABBOT JAMES, O.S.B., D.D.

Born Sunday, October 14, 1849, at Newark, N. J.; ordained Sub Deacon March 29, 1873; Deacon (Dominica Passiones), March 30, 1873, at the hands of Mgr. Gregorius Scherr, Archbishop of Munich-Freising, in the old Cathedral (Dom Kirche), at Freising; ordained Priest July 27, 1874, at Innsbruck, Tyrol, by the Auxiliary Bishop (Weihbischof) of Brixen-Amberg; made his Solemn Profession in St. Paul's, Rome, Italy, January 1, 1870; elected Abbot of St. Mary's, Benedictine Abbey, Newark, N. J. (his birth place), February 11, 1885; confirmed by Rome, April 19, 1885; Blessed Abbot, July 22, 1885, at

Newark Abbey, by Bp. Wigger; resigned by letter of September, 1886; accepted at Rome on October 19. Dr. Zilliox was the first American-born Abbot in the United States.

He died at his father's home at Newark, December 31, 1890, completing the last hours of the year, and the twenty years of his solemn profession.

From years of correspondence and conversations with the Abbot Zilliox, by the Author, who has in preparation a *memoir* of that saintly Prelate. All data from verified sources.

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OF THE TITULAR SEES HELD BY PRELATES IN THE UNITED
STATES SINCE THE YEAR 1800.

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Previous to February 28, 1882, on which date Pope Leo XIII., declared the old form, "in partibus infidelium" abolished, all the ancient Sees which had been overrun by the Mohammedan's (principally) had been administered, or at least, held in a sort of line of succession by Bishops called after such Sees "in infidel parts," and governing some district not yet erected into Diocese, of which they were *Vicars Apostolic*; or as *Coadjutors*, *Bishops' Auxiliary*, *Apostolic Delegates*, and *Papal Nuncio's*. The form i. p. i., dates back to the time of Pope Leo X., 1513-21. Although these titles really did exist before, as Pope Gregory the Great provided for several devastated Sees in Illyria, by appointing the Bishops to vacant Sees in Italy, until they might be able to return. Titular Sees applied only to those localities where there were Christian communities collected, after the original See had been despoiled and lost to Christianity. Titles "i. p. i." were also given to Bishops over a Catholic people who were more or less interfered with by a Protestant government. This was the case in the American Colonies, who were governed by Vicars Apostolic placed in England, until the consecration of Bishop Carroll. Titular Bishops can attend general councils, and are only translated on the same conditions as those governing actual Sees. They, however, are not obliged to make visits "ad Limina," to Rome, since

they have no Diocese of which they need to make report. The majority of these devastated and ancient Sees are in Asia Minor and Africa. Those in Asia Minor seem to have been overrun between the Seventh and Ninth Century.

In this list of Titular Sees held by Prelates in the United States I give 1, the See; 2, the name of the Prelate holding it; 3, his condition of office, and the Diocese or territory in which he is placed; 4, the year of his receiving the title. In some cases I add the location, and the names of the first and last known Bishops, with the years of their appointment. *Corrections and additions solicited.*

Vicars Apostolic are at this time Titular Bishops, and are placed where the country has not yet been organized into a Diocese, or where the succession has been interrupted. In the United States there are at this time four Vicariates, and one Prefecture, Apostolic.

Papal Nuncios are generally Titular Bishops.

Apostolic Delegates are generally Titular Bishops.

Auxiliary Bishops are Titulars, and are consecrated to assist another Bishop. They cannot exercise jurisdiction, they only perform the Episcopal Order and office, may be nominated "Vicar General by the Bishop whom he assists.

A Coadjutor Bishop is a helper to a Bishop in the discharge of the duties of his Bishopric. They may be either Temporary and Revocable, or Perpetual, which implies the right of succession. He may be also, Administrator, until such time as a Bishop may resume the charge, or in case of death his "Right of Succession," elevates him to the See. A Coadjutor has jurisdiction.

ABDYRA, or Abdera, a town in Thrace; modern name "Berde;" near boundary of Macedonia, on the coast of the Ægean Sea. † Perche, Coadjutor to New Orleans, 1879

ADRAMYTUM (Adramyt'tium), in Mysia, Asia Minor; modern name, "Adramitti." The first known Bishop Heladius, 431; last, Michæl, 869. † Gibbons, Vicar Apostolic, North Carolina, 1868

ADRIANOPLE (opolis), in Thrace, on the Hebrus River; modern name the same. First Bishop, Evethius,

- 325; last, Sophronius, 879. † Heiss, Coadjutor to Milwaukee, 1880
- AGATHON, † Lamy, Vicar Apostolic, New Mexico, 1850
- AJASSO, † Keane, resigned, Richmond, 1888
- ALABANDA (Asia Minor); first Bishop, Theodore, 451; last, John, 879. † Brady, Auxiliary to Boston, 1891
- ALULIA, in Phœnicia; first Bishop, Thalassius, 325; last Bishop, Abraam, 451. † Hoban, Coadjutor to Scranton, 1896
- "AMISUS," modern name, Samsoun; first Bishop Antoninus, in 380; last Bishop, Nicolaus, in 879; location in Province of Heleno-Pontus, Asia Minor, on South shore of the Black Sea. Title held by Coadjutor Bishop Fitzmaurice, of Erie, Pa., 1898
- AMIDA, in Mesopotamia (Diarbekir), in Armenia; modern name, "Kara-Amid;" first Bishop, Simeon, 325; last, Abraam II., 879. † F. N. Blanchet, resigned, Oregon, 1880
- AMYZONIA (Pontus, Asia Minor); first Bishop, Philetus, 431; last Bishop, Andreas, 536. † Baraga, Vicar Apostolic, Michigan, 1853
- ANTIGONE(a), in Illyricum, Greece. † Wood, Coadjutor to Philadelphia, 1857
- ANAZARBA, in Cilicia; first Bishop, Maris, third century; last, John, 940. † Salpointe, Coadjutor to Santa Fe, 1884
- APPOLONIA (or Sozopolis), in Thrace. There are four towns of this name, one each in Cyrenaca, Macedonia, and Illyicum. I have been told Thrace is the proper location. † Glorieux, Vicar Apostolic, of Idaho, 1885
† Whitfield, Coadjutor El. to Baltimore, 1828
- ANTINOË, in Egypt; modern name, "Ensene." The first Bishop known, Tyrannus, in 325; last Bishop known, Procopius, in 553. † Mrak, resigned, Marquette, 1881

- ARATH, or Aratha, or Aradus (?), in Syria; (?) modern name, "Ravad." † F. P. Kenrick, Coadjutor to Philadelphia, 1830
- ARABISSUS (Armenia); first Bishop Otrejus, 381; last, Georgius, 692. † Chapelle, Coadjutor to Santa Fe, 1891
- ARCÆ, or Archæ, in Syria proper. † Dubuis, resigned, Galveston, 1894
- AVARA, — † Elder, Coadjutor to Cincinnati, . . . 1880
- AULON, in Epirus, on the Adriatic coast; modern name, "Valona;" first Bishop, Nazarius, 458; † Verdagner, Vicar Apostolic, Brownsville, Texas, . . . 1890
- AXIERE, Axiern (in Moesia ?). † Hailandiere, Coadjutor to Vincennes, 1839
 † McCloskey, Coadjutor to New York, . . . 1844
- BASILEOPOLIS, in Bythnia; first Bishop, Alexander; (?) last Bishop, Anthemus, 879. † Hughes, Coadjutor to New York, 1838
- BOLENO. † Chabrat, Coadjutor to Bardstown, . . . 1834
- CABESA, in Egypt (?); first, Bishop Theopemptus, 431; last, Bishop Macarius, 451. † Riordan, Coadjutor to San Francisco, 1883
- CALYDON, a town in Ætolia, Greece; modern name, "Evereo Castro." † Borgess, Coadjutor to Detroit, 1870
- CANOPUS, a town on the North coast of Egypt. † Gallagher, Bishop Administrator, Galveston, . . . 1882
- CASTABALA, a town in Cappadocia; first Bishop, Maris, 300 (?); last Bishop, Theodore, 692. † Lootens, Vicar Apostolic, Idaho, 1868
- CEBYRA, in Phrygia; modern name, "Buraz." † Phelan, Coadjutor to Pittsburg, 1885
- CERAMOS. † Manogue, Coadjutor to Grass Valley, . . 1881
- CLAUDIOPOLIS (Claudias), Syria (?); modern name, "Cloudreh." I have also been told it is in Bythnia, Asia Minor, and that the first Bishop was Cornelius,

- 303 (?); the last, John, 1027. † Odin, Vicar Apostolic, of Texas, 1842
- CURIAM, in Cyprus; modern name, "Piscopia;" first Bishop, Zeno, 431; last, Michæl, 1,051. † Conroy, resigned, Albany, 1878
- CYZICUS, in Mysia, on the Propontus, Asia Minor; the modern name is "Atraki." † Lama, resigned, Santa Fe, 1885
- DANABA, in Phœnicia; first Bishop, Theodore, 458; last Bishop, Eulogius, 553. † Verot, Vicar Apostolic of Florida, 1858
- DELCON ——— † Dufal, Coadjutor to Galveston, . . . 1878
- DIBONA ———. † O'Connor, Vicar Apostolic, Nebraska, 1876
- DIOCLETIANOPOLIS, Palestine; first Bishop, Eliseus, 359; last, Elias, 553. † Whelan, resigns Nashville (declined), 1863
- DORA (Doriscus), Thrace. † O'Regan, resigns Chicago, 1858
- DORYLA (um), Phrygia; modern name, "Eskir Shehr." † Salpointe, Vicar Apostolic, Arizona, . . . 1869
- DAMETIA (Damiette), in Egypt, a port near the mouth of the Nile. Title held by Bishop Persico, . . . 1887
- DRASA. † Kenrick, Coadjutor to St. Louis, . . . 1841
† Blanchet, Vicar Apostolic, Oregon, . . . 1844
- DULMA. † Manucy, Vicar Apostolic, Brownsville, . . 1874
- ECHINUS, in Thessaly; first Bishop Theodorus, 431; last, Petrus, 459. † Curtis, resigned, Wilmington, 1896
- EMISA, or Emesa, in Syria proper; modern name, "Hems;" first Bishop, St. Silvanus, for forty years, (martyr), 312 (?); last, Theodorus, 500 (?); in the Eccles. Prov. Phœnicia. † Seghers, Coadjutor to Oregon City, 1878
- EPIPHANEA (Hamath), in Syria proper; modern name, "Hamah;" first Bishop, St. Amphion, 311; last, Basileus, 692. † Machebeuf, Vicar Apostolic, Colorado, 1868

- EUCARPIA**, in Phrygia; first, Bishop Eugenius, 311; last, Constantine, 879. † Fink, Vicar Apostolic, Kansas, 1871
- FLAVIOPOLIS**, in Bithynia, Asia Minor; modern name, "Gereden;" first Bishop, Alexander, 223 (?); last, Eustratius, 996. † O'Connell, Vicar Apostolic, Marysville, Cal., 1861
- GABALA**. There are two Sees of this name (in the Patriarchate of Antioch); first Bishop known, Zoilus, in 325; last Bishop known, Germanus, in Sixth Century; another See (in Prov. Phrygia); first Bishop, Polycarp, 451; last Bishop, John, 787; title held by Bishop Duggan, Coadjutor to St. Louis, 1857
- GALLIPOLIS** (Callipolis), in Calabria, on the Gulf of Tarentum, Italia; modern name, "Gallipoli." † Fitzpatrick, Coadjutor to Boston, 1844
- GORTYNA**, in Crete; modern name, "Metropoli;" first Bishop, St. Titus, 150 (?). † Neale, Coadjutor to Baltimore, 1800
- GRATIANOPLE** (opolis), in India, Agra (?). † Persico, Coadjutor to Bombay, India, 1854
- HADRIANOPLE**. See Adrianople.
- HALIA**, in Bœotia (?); modern name, "Mazi." † Seidenbush, Vicar Apostolic, N. Minnesota, 1875
- IBORA**, in Heleno-Pontus; first, Bishop Araxius, 380; last, Nicholaus, 879. † A.M.A. Blanchet, resigned, Nesqually, 1879
- JANOPOLIS**, Jinopolis, Ginopolis, in Paphlagonia; first Bishop, Petronius, 325; last, Georgius, 879. † Gibbons, Coadjutor to Baltimore, 1877
† Lerey, Coadjutor to New Orleans, 1879
- JOPPA**, in Palestine; modern name, Jaffa; first Bishop, Fidus, 415 (?); last, Sergius, 633 (?). † O'Connell, resigned, Grass Valley, Cal., 1884

- LIMYRA**, Limira; modern name, "Phineka," in Lycia.
† Ravoux, elected (declined), Vicar Apostolic,
Montana, 1868
- LENGONE**, or Langone. † Spalding, Coadjutor to
Louisville, 1848
- LEVANDEN**, or Lavanden. † Scanlon, Vicar Apostolic,
Utah, 1887
- MARCIANOPOLIS**, in Moesia; modern name, "Prebislaw;"
first Bishop, Cosmo, 451; last, Cosmos II., 925.
† Kenrick, retired, from St. Louis, 1895
- MARIENOPOLIS**, in Mesopotamia. † Whelan, Coadjutor,
Nashville, 1859
- MARONEA**. † Ireland, Coadjutor to St. Paul, . . . 1875
- MARONEA**. † Manucy, resigned, Mobile, 1885
- MAURICASTRO**. † David, Coadjutor to Bardstown, . . 1817
- MENITH**. † Grace, resigned, St. Paul, 1884
- MESSENE**, in Messenia, Peloponnesus, Greece; modern
name, "Mavia Mathi." † Miede, Vicar Apostolic,
Kansas, 1851
† Haid, Vicar Apostolic, North Carolina, . . . 1888
- MOCISSUS**, in Cappadocia; present name, Monciscus.
† Zardette, Translated from St. Cloud.
- MODRA**, in Bithynia; first Bishop, Macedonius, 553;
last, Paulus, 879. † Michaud, Coadjutor to Bur-
lington, 1892
- MOSYNOPOLIS**. † Mora, Coadjutor to Monterey, . . 1873
- OLENO**. † Portier, Vicar Apostolic, Alabama, . . . 1826
- ORIEN**, or Oriense. † Clancy, Coadjutor to Charleston, 1834
- OXYRINCHIA**, in Africa; first Bishop, Pelagius, 325;
last, Petrus, 431. † Kain, Coadjutor to St. Louis, 1895
- PELUSIUM**, in Egypt, North, on coast; modern name,
"Tireh;" first Bishop, Dorotheus, 325; last,
Georgius, 551. † Alemany, resigned, San Fran-
cisco, 1884

- PERGAMOS**, in Mysia, Asia Minor; modern name, "Bergamo;" first Bishop, Caius, in First Century (?); last, Arsenius, 890 (?). † Foley, Coadjutor and Administrator, Chicago, 1870
- PETRA**, in Arabia, N. W. † Corrigan, Coadjutor, New York, 1880
- PHILADELPHIAENSIS**, in Syria; modern name, Amman, (in Arabia); first Bishop, Cyrion, 325; last, Joannes, 650. † F. N. Blanchet elected to it, but there being such a See already in the United States, he was transferred to Drasa (see Drasa), 1845
- PHACUSITES**. † Borgess, resigned, Detroit, 1888
- PINARA**, Pinara in Lycia; first Bishop, Eustathius, 359; last (?), Athanasius, 879. † Glennon, Coadjutor, Kansas City, Mo., 1896
- POMPEIOPOLIS**, in Paphlagonia, Asia Minor; modern name, "Tash Kinpri;" there is also a See of that name in Cilicia, sometimes called "Soli," but the former being in what was called the Heleno-Pontus, is no doubt the intended See; its first Bishop was Antonius, 451; the last, Basileus, 879. † Rosencrans, Coadjutor to Cincinnati, 1862
- RAPHANEA**, in Syria; first Bishop, Bassianus, in 325; last, Nonnus, 536 (?). † O'Gorman, Vicar Apostolic, Nebraska, 1859
- RHESINA** (Resaina), in Mesopotamia; modern name, "Ras-ain;" first Bishop, Antiochus, in 325; last, Sebastian, 600. † McNierny, Coadjutor to Albany, 1871
- ROSALIA**, in Galatia (?). † Northrop, Vicar Apostolic, North Carolina, 1882
- SALAMIS**, on Cyprus Island, Greece; modern name, "Constanza." † P. J. Ryan, Coadjutor Archbishop to St. Louis, 1884
- SIUNIA**. † Grace, Archbishop, resigned, St. Paul, 1888
- SAMASOTA**, in Syria; modern name, "Semisat;" first Bishop, Peperius, 325; last, Abram II., 942.

- † Græssel, appointed Coadjutor to Baltimore.
Died before consecration, 1794
- SEBASTE. There were three Sees of this name; one in Isauria, erected about 450, till —; one in Armenia, erected about 300, till 692; one in Phrygia, erected about 451, till 890. † Chapelle, Coadjutor to Santa Fe, 1893
- STAUBOPOLIS. † Marechal, Coadjutor to Baltimore, . 1817
- SYNDRINORUM. † Meerschaert, Vicar Apostolic, Indian Territory, 1891
- TAUMACO. † Bourgade, Vicar Apostolic, Arizona, . 1885
- TELMASSA, in Lycia (Telmissus) (?); modern name, "Macri," in Cypress (Tamassus) (?); It is most likely the latter; the first Bishop was St. Heraclides, —; the last, Bishop Epaphroditus, in 451. † Matz, Coadjutor to Colorado, 1887
- TENAGRE, in Boetia (Tanagra) (?). Rosati, Coadjutor to St. Louis, 1824
- THANASIS. † Smythe, Coadjutor, Dubuque, . . . 1857
- THERMIAS (Thermæ), in Galatia, Asia Minor; the first Bishop is unknown, 374; in 451 Firminus is the first given name; the last was Theodorus, 692. † Eccleston, Coadjutor to Baltimore, 1834
- TIBERIUS, in Palestine (Gallilee); modern name, "Taberecah;" first Bishop, John, in 449; last, Basilius, 800. † Marty, Vicar Apostolic, of Dakota, . . . 1880
- TINUI. † Montgomery, Coadjutor to Monterey, . 1894
- TOMI, in Moesia, Asia Minor. † Salpointe, resigned, Santa Fe, 1894
- TRICOMIA, in Palastine, probably "Tetracomia." † Ryan, Coadjutor (Bishop), St. Louis, 1872
- TRIPOLI, Syria, Asia Minor; modern name, "Tarabous;" first Bishop, Marones —; last, Leontius; no dates. † Williams, Coadjutor to Boston, . . . 1866
- UTILLA. † Brennen, resigned, Dallas, 1894

- ZELE, in Pontus, Greece; modern name, Zeleh; first
Bishop, Heraelius, 314; last, Paulus, 879. †Lefevre,
Coadjutor to Detroit, 1841
- ZEUGMA, in Syria, Eccles. Prov. Mesopotamia, on the
Euphrates River, Patriarchate of Antioch; first
Bishop, Bassus, 325; last, Julian, 553. †Farley,
Coadjutor to New York, 1896

Bishops Who Died Without any Title.

† Hailandriere,	† Whelan, of Nashville (?);
† Rappe,	† Chabrat,
† Domenec,	† Dufal,
† O'Connor, of Pittsburg;	† Penalvert.
† Miede.	

Bishops Who Held Two or More Titles i. p. i.

† Blanchet, F. N., "Philadelphiaensis," "Drasa," "Amida."
† Borgess, "Calydon," "Phacusites."
† Gibbons, "Adrymittum," "Jinopolis."
† Lamy, "Agathon," "Cyzicus."
† Manucy, "Dulma," "Maronea."
† O'Connell, "Flaviopolis," "Joppa."
† Ryan (Philadelphia), "Tricomia," "Salamis."
† Salpointe, "Doryla," "Anazarba," "Tomi."

Bishops Who Were Transferred to Diocese Not in the United States.

† Brennen, to St. Johns, New Brunswick.
† Penalvert, to Guatamala.
† Cheverus, to Montauban, Bordeaux, France.
† Clancy, to British Guiana.
† Dubourg, to Montauban, Bensancon, France.
† Kelly, to Waterford, Ireland.
† Zardette, to Bucharest (Latin Rite.)

Prelates Who Were Converted.

Archbishop Eccleston,	Bishop Gilmour,
Archbishop Bayley,	Bishop Rosencrans,
Archbishop Wood,	Bishop Tyler,
Bishop Becker,	Bishop Wadhams.
Bishop Young.	

Prelates Who Have Been Members of Religious Orders.

- Eight Jesuits (S.J.):** Carrell, Carroll, B. J. Fenwick, Miede, Neale, M. O'Connor, Tosi, Van de Velde.
- Eight Sulpitians (SS.):** Brute, Chanche, David, Eccleston, Flaget, Marechal, O'Farrell, Verot.
- Seven Dominicans (O.P.):** Alemany, Concannon, Connolly, E. D. Fenwick, T. L. Grace, Miles, J. Whelan.
- Seven Lazarists (C.M.):** Amat, Domenec, Neckere, Odin, Rosati, S. V. Ryan, Timon.
- Six Benedictines (O.S.B.):** Fink, Haid, Jean, Marty, Robot, Seidenbush.
- Three Franciscans (O.S.F.):** Egan, Garciadiego, Persico.
- Two Redemptorists (C.S.S.R.):** Gross, Neumann.
- Two Order Holy Cross (C.S.C.):** Dubuis, Dufal.
- Two Augustinians (O.S.A.):** Galberry, Martinelli.
- Two Trappists (Cist.):** J. O'Gorman, Smythe.
- One Congregation Precious Blood (C.P.P.S.):** Dwenger.

CHRONOLOGICAL.

Chronological Order of the Appointments and Consecrations.

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| 1784—Carroll, Vic. Ap. | 1834—Eccleston. |
| 1790—Carroll, First Bishop. | Brute. |
| 1793—Cardenas, N. O. | Chabrat. |
| 1800—Neale. | 1835—Blanc. |
| 1808—Concannon. | 1837—Hughes. |
| 1810—Egan. | Loras. |
| Cheverus. | Clancy. |
| Flaget. | 1838—Miles. |
| 1814—Connolly. | 1839—Hailandriere. |
| 1815—Dubourg. | 1840—Garcia diego. |
| 1817—Marechal. | 1841—Chanche. |
| 1819—David. | Kenrick, P. R. |
| 1820—England. | Lefevre. |
| Kelly. | Whelan, R. V. |
| Conwell. | 1842—Odin. |
| 1822—Fenwick, Cincinnati. | 1843—O'Connor, M. |
| 1825—Fenwick, of Boston. | 1844—Byrne. |
| 1826—Portier. | Fitzpatrick. |
| Rosati. | Henni. |
| Whitfield. | McCloskey, J. |
| 1830—Kenrick, F. P. | Tyler. |
| Neckere. | Quarter. |
| 1833—Purcell. | Reynolds. |
| Rese. | 1845—Blanchet, F. N. |

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| 1846—Blanchet, A.M.A. | 1859—Grace, T. L. |
| 1847—Bazin. | Whelan, J. |
| Timon. | O'Gorman, J. |
| Demers. | Quinlan. |
| Rappe. | 1860—Dufal. |
| 1848—Spalding, M. J. | Domenec. |
| 1849—Van de Velde. | 1861—O'Connell. |
| St. Palais. | 1862—Dubuis. |
| 1850—McGill. | Rosencrans. |
| Gartland. | 1863—Ephraem (Abbot). |
| O'Reilly, B. | 1864—McCloskey, W. G. |
| Lamy. | 1865—Conroy. |
| Loughlin. | Feehan. |
| Aleman. | Lavialle. |
| 1851—Eutropius (Abbot). | 1866—Hennessy (Dub). |
| Cretin. | Williams. |
| Miege. | 1867—Fitzgerald. |
| 1852—Neumann. | 1868—Melcher. |
| 1853—Baraga. | Becker. |
| Bayley. | Gibbons. |
| Carrell. | Heiss. |
| Goesbriand. | Hogan (Mo.) |
| Martin. | Lootens. |
| 1854—Young. | McQuaid. |
| Persico. | Machebeuf. |
| Amat. | Mullen. |
| 1855—Bacon. | O'Hara. |
| Lynch. | Shanahan. |
| Wimmer (Abbot). | Ryan, S. V. |
| 1857—Juncker. | 1869—Mrak. |
| Duggan. | Salpointe. |
| Elder. | 1870—Foley (Chicago). |
| Barry. | Baltes. |
| Smythe. | Borgess. |
| Wood. | O'Reilly, P. T. |
| 1858—Verot. | Perche. |
| McFarland. | Tæbbe. |
| Luers. | 1871—Fink. |
| | Hendriken. |

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| Dwenger. | 1882—Northrop. |
| McNierny. | Gallagher. |
| Ryan, P. J. | 1883—Rademacher. |
| Wadhams. | Richter. |
| Gilmour. | Riordan. |
| 1873—Corrigan. | 1884—Bradley. |
| Mora. | Cosgrove. |
| Seghers. | 1885—Durier. |
| Gross. | Bourgade. |
| 1874—Manucy. | Glorieux. |
| Pellicer. | Maes. |
| 1875—Seidenbush. | O'Sullivan. |
| Alexius (Abbot). | Phelan. |
| Ireland. | James (Abbot Zilliox) |
| Krautbauer. | 1886—Curtis. |
| Kain. | Jean. |
| Heally. | Katzer. |
| 1876—O'Connor, Jas. | 1887—Bonacum. |
| Robot, | Burke (Wyo.) |
| Tuigg. | Harkins. |
| 1877—Moore. | Ludden. |
| Spalding, J. L. | Scanlan. |
| Leroy. | Scannell. |
| Innocent (Abbot). | Matz. |
| 1878—Chatard. | Hillary (Abbot). |
| Keane. | 1888—McGovern. |
| 1879—Brondel. | Foley (Det.) |
| Vertin. | Jansenns (Ill.) |
| McMahon. | Hennessey (Kas.) |
| 1880—Marty. | Haid. |
| Watterson. | Lemmens. |
| Frowinas (Abbot). | Ryan, Jas. |
| 1881—Nerez. | Andrew (Abbot). |
| O'Farrell. | 1889—Cotter. |
| McMullen. | Heslin. |
| Manogue. | Shanley. |
| Wigger. | Van de Vyver. |
| Flasch. | Zardette. |
| Jansenns, F. | McGolrick. |

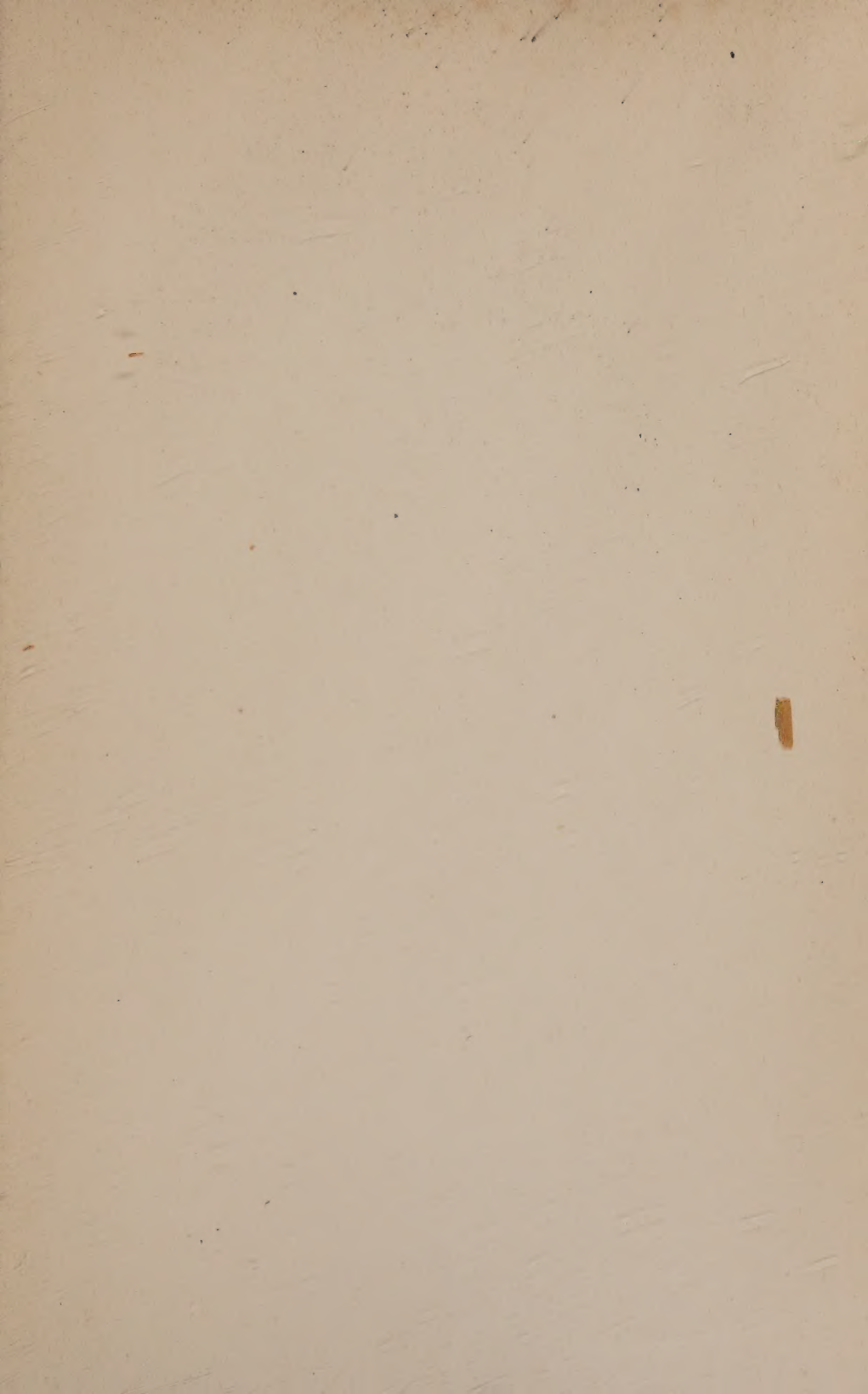
1890—Verdaguer.	McFaul.
Bernard (Abbot).	Montgomery.
1891—Chappelle.	Nepomucene (Abbot).
Brady.	1895—Forrest.
Brennen.	Farley.
Meerschaert.	1896—Hoban.
1892—Beaven.	O'Gorman (Dak.)
Horstmann.	Grace (Cal.)
Gabriels.	O'Dea.
Schwebach.	Glennen.
Messmer.	Martinelli, Ap. Del.
Michaud.	Prendergast.
Benedict (Abbot).	1897—Allen.
Leander (Abbot).	Quigley.
1893—Satolli (Ap. Del.)	Monaghan.
Dunne.	Lenihan.
1894—Byrne.	Butler.
Burke (Alb.)	Duperon (Abbot).
Tosi.	Trobec.
Tierney.	1898—Fitzmaurice.

*Chronology, Appointments of Rt. Rev. Monsignorii, Dom.
Prel. and Prot. Ap., Giving Their Diocese.*

1867—Mgr. Seton, Newark.	Mgr. Quigley, Ch'n.
1879—Mgr. Allen, N. Orleans.	Mgr. Boff, Cleveland.
1880—Mgr. Doane, Newark.	1887—Mgr. DeConcileo, New- ark.
1881—Mgr. Preston, N. York.	Mgr. O'Reilly, N. Y.
Mgr. Quinn, N. York.	Mgr. DePauw, Ogdens- burg.
1882—Mgr. Batz, Milwaukee.	Mgr. McManus, Balt.
1883—Mgr. Benoit, Ft. Wayne	Mgr. McManus, Roch.
Mgr. Corcoran, Phila.	
1884—Mgr. Bessonies, Vinc.	1888—Mgr. Gleeson, Buffalo.
Mgr. Donahoe, Mil.	Mgr. Zeininger, Mil.
1885—Mgr. Toner, Rome.	1889—Mgr. Donnelly, N. Y.
Mgr. Sullivan, Wheel- ing.	Mgr. Joos, Detroit.
Mgr. McColgan, Balt.	Mgr. Griffin, Sp'field.

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| 1890—Mgr. Cantwell, Phila. | Mgr. De Regge, Roch. |
| Mgr. Brochu, Sp'field. | 1895—Mgr. Stephen, Wash- |
| Mgr. Hevey, Man. | ington, D. C. |
| Mgr. McDonnell, | Mgr. McNamara, |
| Brooklyn. | Brooklyn. |
| 1892—Mgr. Farley, N. York. | 1896—Mgr. Thorpe, Cleve. |
| Mgr. May, Brooklyn. | Mgr. Lawlor, S. Falls. |
| 1893—Mgr. Caillett, St. Paul. | Mgr. Ryan, Dubuque. |
| Mgr. Dugast, Albany. | Mgr. Mooney, N. Y. |
| 1894—Mgr. Bauer, St. Croix. | 1897—Mgr. Jessing, Colum- |
| Mgr. Croquet, Oregon. | bus, O. |







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